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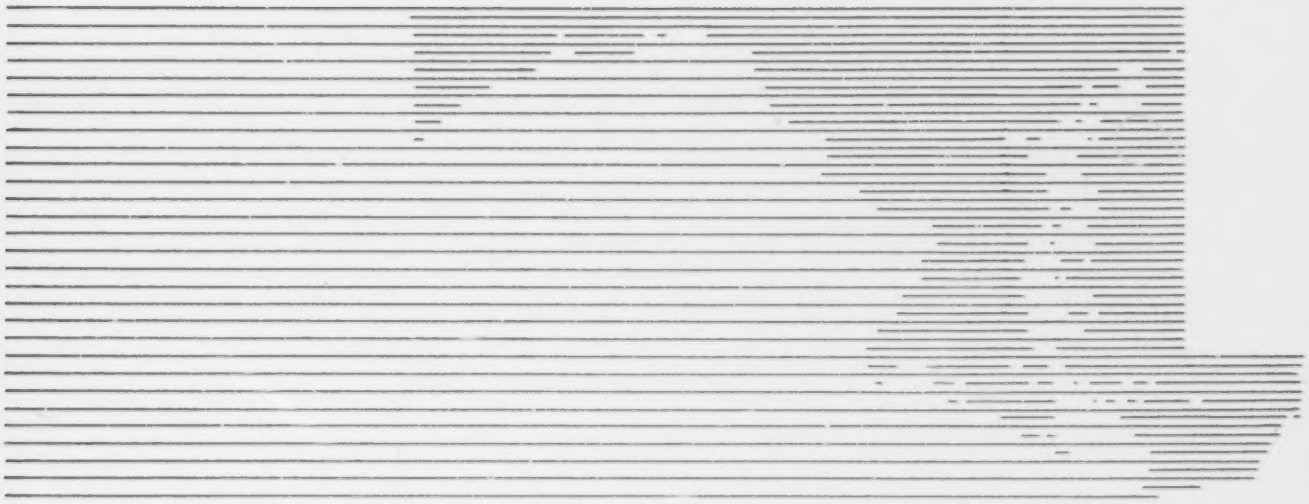

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July 20, 1987

The Honorable William Donald Schaefer
Governor of Maryland
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Governor Schaefer:

Pursuant to Article 88B, Sections 9 and 10, of the Annotated Code of Maryland, the Maryland State Police respectfully submits the 1986 Uniform Crime Report for your information and review.

The information presented here represents the twelfth annual report produced by the Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program. The statistics presented were compiled from monthly reports submitted to Criminal Records-Central Repository by all law enforcement agencies throughout Maryland. Every effort has been made to verify the accuracy and completeness of the published information.

This information is presented with the hope that it will be of valuable assistance to law enforcement personnel and members of the Executive and Legislative branches of government. It should be helpful in planning programs and legislation to combat criminal activity in Maryland.

Sincerely,

John J. O'Neill

Acting Superintendent

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Enclosure

Law Enforcement Code of Ethics

As a Law Enforcement Officer, *my fundamental duty is to serve mankind; to safeguard lives and property; to protect the innocent against deception, the weak against oppression or intimidation, and the peaceful against violence or disorder; and to respect the Constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.*

I will *keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in the face of danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of others. Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in obeying the laws of the land and the regulations of my department. Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature or that is confided to me in my official capacity will be kept ever secret unless revelation is necessary in the performance of my duty.*

I will *never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities or friendships to influence my decisions. With no compromise for crime and with relentless prosecution of criminals, I will enforce the law courteously and appropriately without fear or favor, malice or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence and never accepting gratuities.*

I recognize *the badge of my office as a symbol of public faith, and I accept it as a public trust to be held so long as I am true to the ethics of the police service. I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession . . . law enforcement.*

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CRIME INDEX FOR MARYLAND

10 YEAR TREND

	TOTAL	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977
MURDER											
Offenses	3,799	399	350	354	367	431	422	399	406	338	333
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	8.9	8.9	8.0	8.1	8.5	10.1	9.9	9.5	9.8	8.2	8.0
Percent Cleared	80	73	78	82	77	81	81	77	76	81	83
National Average	73	70	72	74	76	74	72	72	73	76	75
RAPE											
Offenses	16,197	1,947	1,711	1,644	1,412	1,596	1,663	1,681	1,628	1,476	1,439
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	75.9	87.3	77.9	75.6	65.7	74.8	78.1	80.2	78.5	71.3	69.5
Percent Cleared	58	60	59	56	59	58	58	54	57	56	58
National Average	51	52	54	54	52	51	48	49	48	50	51
ROBBERY											
Offenses	143,504	13,570	13,276	13,113	14,950	15,377	18,095	16,462	13,745	12,828	12,088
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	336.7	304.1	302.3	301.5	347.7	360.5	424.7	392.7	331.1	309.6	292.1
Percent Cleared	25	24	24	26	25	25	23	23	26	27	29
National Average	25	25	25	26	26	25	24	24	25	26	27
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT											
Offenses	181,624	21,226	21,425	19,369	18,007	18,845	17,691	17,182	17,337	15,686	14,856
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	425.0	475.6	487.8	445.4	418.8	441.9	415.2	409.9	417.9	378.6	358.9
Percent Cleared	57	62	58	54	55	54	55	57	56	59	63
National Average	60	59	62	61	61	60	58	59	59	62	62
BURGLARY											
Offenses	594,894	55,596	53,168	51,498	52,697	60,547	70,762	71,130	62,657	58,901	57,938
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	1,397.5	1,245.7	1,210.6	1,184.1	1,225.5	1,419.6	1,660.7	1,696.8	1,510.2	1,421.7	1,399.8
Percent Cleared	18	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	19	20	22
National Average	15	14	14	14	15	15	14	14	15	16	16
LARCENY											
Offenses	1,368,502	132,899	126,193	123,625	127,443	142,903	152,544	152,089	145,278	134,012	131,516
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	3,213.1	2,977.8	2,874.6	2,842.6	2,963.8	3,350.6	3,580.0	3,628.1	3,501.5	3,234.7	3,177.5
Percent Cleared	18	18	18	18	19	18	18	18	18	19	19
National Average	19	20	20	20	19	19	19	18	19	20	20
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT											
Offenses	187,206	24,331	20,265	17,284	15,688	16,719	18,486	18,885	20,217	17,599	17,732
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	438.6	545.2	461.4	397.4	364.8	392.0	433.8	450.5	487.3	424.8	428.4
Percent Cleared	17	17	17	16	15	15	17	16	18	20	22
National Average	15	15	15	15	15	14	14	14	14	15	15
GRAND TOTAL											
Offenses	2,495,726	249,368	236,388	226,887	230,564	256,418	279,663	277,828	261,268	240,840	235,902
Rate per 100,000 Inhabitants	5,857.5	5,600.9	5,382.2	5,217.0	5,362.0	6,012.2	6,563.3	6,627.6	6,297.2	5,813.2	5,699.5
Percent Cleared	22	22	22	22	22	21	21	20	22	23	24
National Average	20	21	21	21	21	20	19	19	20	21	21

INTRODUCTION

The Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program is one of the steps that have been taken in the establishment of an effective Statewide Criminal Justice Information System. This particular phase of the CJIS is oriented toward law enforcement and has brought about a statewide uniform method of collecting crime statistical data, producing a consolidated annual report concerning crime in Maryland, and reporting statewide crime statistics from a single agency to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

National Uniform Crime Reporting Program

The counterpart of the statewide UCR Program is the National UCR Program which is under the direction of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. This national program is the result of a need for nationwide and uniform compilation of law enforcement statistics. Uniform Crime Reports were first collected in 1930 after being developed by a committee of the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

Today the IACP continues to serve in an advisory capacity to the FBI in its operation of the program.

Crime statistics voluntarily submitted by individual law enforcement agencies from all fifty states are presented annually in the FBI's Uniform Crime Reports Publication entitled "Crime in the United States".

In the last several years the FBI has been actively assisting individual states in the development of statewide programs of law enforcement statistics compatible with the National UCR Program. In taking advantage of the invaluable assistance provided, Maryland has developed its own statewide program for collection of law enforcement statistics.

Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program

The Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program involves the uniform compilation, classification, and analysis of crime statistics reported by all law enforcement agencies of the state pursuant to guides and regulations prescribed by law.

The responsibility and authority for collection and dissemination of UCR data was given to the Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (State Police) under Article 88B, Sections 9 and 10, of the Annotated Code of Maryland. The UCR Program became operational January 1, 1975.

Purpose and Objectives

In keeping with the recommendation of the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice, the Maryland UCR Program was planned for eventual growth into a complete and integrated offender based Criminal Justice Information System. Under this program, each offender arrested in Maryland will be tracked through the entire criminal justice system from time of arrest through the courts to the correctional system where his exit (Parole, expiration of sentence, etc.) will be recorded. In this manner, a complete "criminal history" on individual offenders will be available for use by the police, courts, and correctional agencies in Maryland. In addition, statistical data derived from the CJIS Program will provide assistance in determining the overall efficiency of the criminal justice system in Maryland and will make effective management studies possible.

The fundamental objectives of the Maryland UCR Program are:

1. Inform the governor, legislature, other governmental officials, and the public as to the nature of the crime problem in Maryland - its magnitude and its trends.

2. Provide law enforcement administrators with criminal statistics for administrative and operational use.

3. Determine who commits crimes by age, sex, race and other attributes in order to find the proper focus for crime prevention and enforcement.

4. Provide base data and statistics to measure the workload and effectiveness of Maryland's Criminal Justice System.

5. Provide base data and statistics to measure the effects of prevention and deterrence programs.

6. Provide base data and statistics for research to improve the efficiency, effectiveness and performance of criminal justice agencies.

7. Provide base data to assist in the assessment of social and other causes of crime for the development of theories of criminal behavior.

8. Provide the FBI with complete UCR data to be included in the national crime reports.

DEVELOPMENT

Effective September 1972, the first federal grant was awarded to the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (State Police) by the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration to provide money to initiate a Statewide Uniform Crime Reporting Program in Maryland. A committee for the implementation of this Program was then established by State Police.

The committee made studies of the federal program, as well as several state UCR Programs, which were operational at that time. Forms, tally books, and the Maryland UCR Manual were developed, printed and distributed to all contributing agencies. Questionnaires concerning each law enforcement agency's record-keeping systems were distributed to determine their capability to fully participate in the State Program.

In September 1974, an additional grant was awarded to the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services (State Police) by the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration for the purpose of hiring Field Records Representatives to serve as liaison officers between the State Program and the contributing law enforcement agencies. Also, additional clerical support for the State Program was provided in the grant.

During the developmental phase, several workshops were held in various parts of the State to present the UCR Program in detail to participating agencies. Since that time, supplemental workshops have been held as needed.

During 1975, the first year of operating, the UCR Staff concentrated its efforts in assisting requesting law enforcement agencies in devising or improving their record keeping systems. The UCR Staff continued to keep the agencies trained in UCR and to provide assistance where needed. Agencies contributing to the UCR Program have increased from 102 agencies in 1975 to 128 in 1986. The UCR Section collects crime information from these 128 agencies and publishes quarterly releases reflecting crime trends. In addition, this is the twelfth annual report produced by the UCR Staff containing an in-depth analysis of all information collected in the UCR Program.

During 1986, statistics were collected concerning Battered Spouses and a ninth Maryland Battered Spouse Report was produced.

REPORTING PROCEDURES

Under the Maryland UCR Program, law enforcement agencies are required to submit specified Uniform Crime Reports. The necessary information for each of the required reports is gathered from each agency's record of complaints, investigations and arrests.

For those agencies desiring assistance in developing sound record systems, or improving their present system, a copy of the FBI's Manual of Police Records has been provided, along with training of records personnel by UCR Field Representatives.

Crime data and information is submitted by state, county, and municipal law enforcement agencies on a daily, monthly, and annual basis. The daily report consists of the fingerprints of all persons arrested, detained, or charged with any crime or offense in Maryland.

On a monthly basis, organized state, municipal, and county law enforcement agencies report the number of offenses known to them in the following crime categories:

(1) Criminal Homicide
(2) Forcible Rape
(3) Robbery
(4) Assault
(5) Breaking or Entering
(6) Larceny
(7) Motor Vehicle Theft
(8) Arson*

The count of offenses is taken from the record of complaints received by law enforcement agencies from victims, witnesses, other sources, or discovered by them during their own operation. Complaints determined by subsequent investigation to be unfounded are eliminated from the count. The resulting number of "actual offenses known to law enforcement agencies" in these crime categories is reported without regard to whether anyone is arrested, stolen property is recovered, local prosecutive policy, or any other consideration. Reported offenses are recorded by the municipality and county in which they occur. Municipal law enforcement agencies report those crimes which are committed within the cities; county law enforcement agencies and state police report those crimes which occur in the counties outside the city. Law enforcement agencies also report on a monthly basis, supplemental offense information such as the value of property stolen and recovered as well as circumstances surrounding homicides and other pertinent data. Additional monthly reports of persons arrested are submitted. These reports provide information concerning the age, sex and race of persons arrested by each individual law enforcement agency. Also, a police disposition of all juveniles arrested is collected.

In addition, police employee data is collected on an annual basis.

Verification Process

An obvious concern in the collection of crime statistics for law enforcement agencies throughout the state is the uniformity

*Monthly arson reports are submitted for law enforcement agencies by the State Fire Marshal's Office and designated county agencies.

and accuracy of data received. Program aides such as guides and instructions do not necessarily guarantee the accuracy and correctness of the reports submitted by the contributors. Additional controls, therefore, are necessary.

Each report received by the UCR Section is recorded, examined and verified for mathematical accuracy, and possibly more important, for reasonableness. The verification process includes numerous checks to ensure the validity of information. The elimination of duplication of reporting by individual contributors received particular attention. Minor errors are corrected by telephone contact with the contributors. Substantial variations and errors are adjusted through personal contacts with individual contributing agencies. The personal contacts are invaluable to the accuracy and quality of reporting. Field Representatives are engaged in a constant educational effort, and as such, provide a vital link between the UCR Program and the contributor.

Population Data

The computation of crime rates as they appear in this report by municipality, county, and state are based on the latest available population estimates for the year as provided by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, through the cooperation and assistance of the United States Bureau of Census.

Limitations of a Uniform Crime Reporting Program

Information currently collected by the Maryland Program is generally the same as that gathered by the National system, and the methods of classifying and scoring offenses and arrests are the same. This readily enables comparisons with other states and with the nation, as a whole. However, there are limitations to the information collected which should be clearly understood before any conclusions are drawn from the UCR data presented in this report.

The main goal of the UCR Program is to furnish police administrators with a measure of their activities and operational problems as indicated by the number of reported offenses, arrests, clearances, and the like.

A first step in the control of crime is to ascertain the true dimensions of the problem. However, present statistics as gathered by the UCR Program measure neither the real incidence of crime nor the full amount of economic loss to victims. Information regarding number of offenses and clearances is collected only for the eight Part I crimes. Value and type of property stolen and recovered data is requested only for property stolen in Part I offenses. For Part II offenses (except non-aggravated assault), the only information submitted is the number of arrests for these crimes according to the age,

sex, and race of the subject. Consequently, there is no record of the actual number of these offenses occurring, nor is there a calculation made for property loss, as in cases of vandalism and embezzlement.

The Crime Index does not explicitly take into account the varying degrees of seriousness of its seven components. Each crime receives the same weight as it is added to the Index. Consequently, an auto theft is counted the same as a murder, and an aggravated assault is weighted equally with an attempted breaking or entering. Any review of crime must consider the volume, rate, and trend of each offense that comprises the Index and the relationship between these seven crimes*.

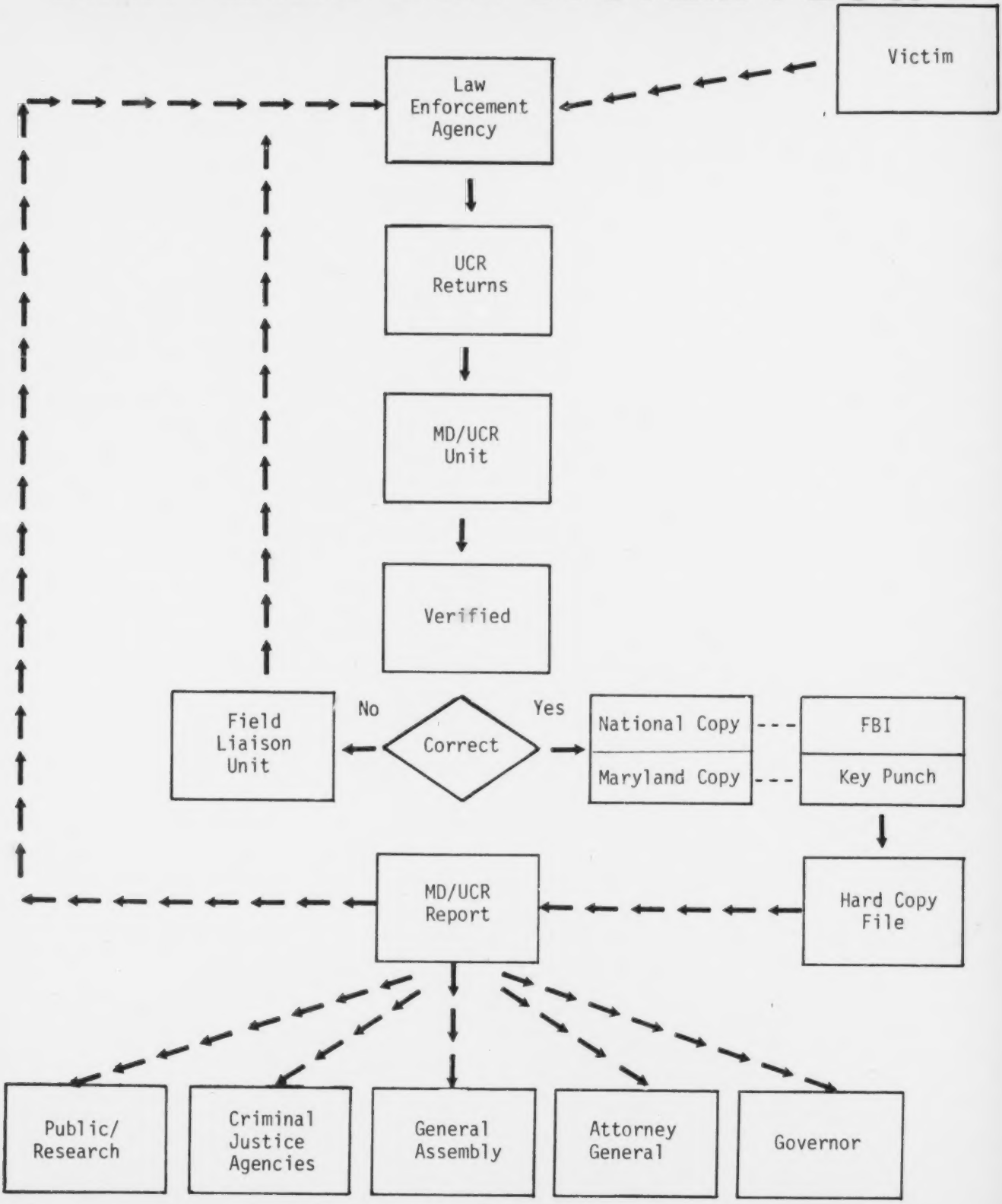
The Maryland and National Uniform Crime Reporting Programs are designed to measure offenses committed and persons arrested, and difficulties can arise if this distinction is not kept clearly in mind. Crimes relate to events, but arrests relate to persons. Unlike traffic violations where there is usually one event, with one violation and one offender, a single criminal act can involve several crimes, several offenders, and several victims. Relating specific crimes to the criminal, or specific offenses to characteristics of those arrested, is generally beyond the scope of the present Uniform Crime Reporting system.

Juvenile crime and arrest statistics, because of their nature, are another area of misunderstanding. Many juvenile offenders are handled informally and, as a consequence, inaccurate or incomplete recording of the event or action may result. Procedures for handling juveniles vary between departments, more so than the handling of adult offenders. Furthermore, the degree of juvenile involvement in solved offenses is probably seriously misunderstood, because juvenile participation in clearances is recorded only when juveniles are exclusively involved. When both adults and juveniles are subjects in a clearance, the juvenile participation is not reported.

The preceding comments should not be viewed as an indictment of the Uniform Crime Reporting Program which, admittedly, is designed for the operational requirements of law enforcement agencies. While current methods of gathering and reporting crime and arrest data provide a less than complete picture of criminality in our society, there is at present no other informational system in general use that will more adequately perform this task.

*Arson is not used at this time in computing the Crime Index.

MARYLAND UCR SYSTEM FLOW



CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES

Uniformity in reporting under the Maryland System is based upon the proper classification of offenses by police.

The adoption of the Federal System of Uniform Crime Reporting included the utilization of the offense classifications of that system. Law enforcement in this state has made accurate application of those classifications in the reports submitted to the Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting System.

Offenses in Uniform Crime Reporting

Offenses in Uniform Crime Reporting are divided into two groupings designated as Part I and Part II offenses. Crime Index offenses are included among the Part I offenses. Offense and arrest information is reported for the Part I offenses on a monthly basis, whereas only arrest information is reported for Part II offenses.

The Part I offenses are as follows:

1. CRIMINAL HOMICIDE -- (a) Murder and non-negligent manslaughter: All willful felonious homicides as distinguished from deaths caused by negligence. Excludes attempts to kill, assaults to kill, suicides, accidental deaths, or justifiable homicides. Justifiable homicides are limited to: (1) The killing of a person by a law enforcement officer in line of duty; and (2) The killing of a person in the act of committing a felony by a private citizen. (b) Manslaughter by negligence: Any death which the police investigation established was primarily attributable to gross negligence of some individual other than the victim.

2. FORCIBLE RAPE -- The carnal knowledge of a female, forcibly and against her will in the categories of rape by force, assault to rape, and attempted rape. Excludes statutory offenses (no force used - victim under age of consent).

3. ROBBERY -- Stealing or taking anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person by force or by violence or by putting in fear, such as strong-arm robbery, stickups, armed robbery, assaults to rob, and attempts to rob.

4. AGGRAVATED ASSAULT -- Assault with intent to kill or for the purpose of inflicting severe bodily injury by shooting, cutting, stabbing, maiming, poisoning, scalding, or by the use of acids, explosives, or other means. Excludes simple assaults.

5. BURGLARY - BREAKING OR ENTERING -- Burglary, housebreaking, safecracking, or any breaking or unlawful entry of a structure with the intent to commit a felony or a theft. Includes attempted forcible entry.

6. LARCENY-THEFT (except motor vehicle theft) -- The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. Thefts of bicycles, automobile accessories, shoplifting, pocket-picking, or any stealing of property or article which is not taken by force and violence or by fraud. Excludes embezzlement, "con" games, forgery, worthless checks, etc.

7. MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT -- Unlawful taking or stealing or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. A motor vehicle is a self-propelled vehicle that travels on the surface but not on rails. Specifically excluded from this category are motor boats, construction equipment, airplanes, and farming equipment.

8. ARSON -- Include all arrests for violations of state laws and municipal ordinances relating to arson and attempted arson. Include: any willful or malicious burning or attempts to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, church, college, jail, meeting house, public building or any building, ship or other vessel, motor vehicle or aircraft; contents of building, personal property of another, goods or chattels, crops, trees, fences, gates, grain, vegetable products, lumber, woods, cranberry bogs, marshes, meadows, etc.

   If personal injury results from the arson, the situation would be classified as aggravated assault. In the event a death results from arson, the incident would be classified as murder.

The Part II Offenses are as follows:

9. OTHER ASSAULTS -- Assaults and attempted assaults which do not result in serious or aggravated injury to the victim are included as other assaults. Examples of local jurisdiction offense titles which would be included in "other assaults" are: Simple assault, minor assault, assault and battery, injury by culpable negligence, resisting or obstructing an officer, intimidation, coercion, hazing, attempts to commit above.

10. FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING -- In this class are placed all offenses dealing with the making, altering, uttering or possessing, with intent to defraud, anything false in the semblance of that which is true.

    Include: Altering or forging public and other records. Making, altering, forging, or counterfeiting bills, notes, drafts, tickets, checks, credit cards, etc. Forging wills, deeds, notes, bonds, seals, trade-marks, etc.

    Counterfeiting coins, plates, bank notes, checks, etc.

    Possessing or uttering forged or counterfeited instruments.

    Erasures.

    Signing the name of another or fictitious person with intent to defraud.

    Using forged labels.

    Possession, manufacture, etc., of counterfeiting apparatus.

    Selling goods with altered, forged, or counterfeited trade-marks.

    All attempts to commit the above.

11. FRAUD -- Fraudulent conversion and obtaining money or property by false pretenses. Includes bad checks, confidence games, etc., except forgeries and counterfeiting.

12. EMBEZZLEMENT -- Misappropriation or misapplication of money or property entrusted to one's care, custody, or control.

13. STOLEN PROPERTY; BUYING, RECEIVING, POSSESSING -- Include in this class all offenses of buying, receiving, and possessing stolen property, as well as all attempts to commit any of these offenses.

14. VANDALISM -- Vandalism consists of the willful or malicious destruction, injury, disfigurement, or defacement of any public or private property, real or personal, without consent of the owner or person having custody or control, by cutting, tearing, breaking, marking, painting, drawing, covering with filth, or any other such means as may be specified by local law. This offense covers a wide range of malicious behavior directed at property, such as: cutting auto tires, drawing obscene

pictures on public restroom walls, smashing windows, destroying school records, tipping over gravestones, defacing library books, etc. Count all arrests for the above, including attempts.

15. WEAPONS: CARRYING, POSSESSING, ETC. -- This class deals with weapon offenses, regulatory in nature, such as:

    Manufacture, sale, or possession of deadly weapons.

    Carrying deadly weapons, concealed or openly.

    Using, manufacturing, etc., silencers.

    Furnishing deadly weapons to minors.

    Aliens possessing deadly weapons.

    All attempts to commit any of the above.

16. PROSTITUTION AND COMMERCIALIZED VICE -- Include in this class the sex offenses of a commercialized nature, such as:

    Prostitution

    Keeping bawdy house, disorderly house, or house of ill fame.

    Pandering, procuring, transporting, or detaining women for immoral purposes, etc.

    All attempts to commit any of the above.

17. SEX OFFENSES -- (Except forcible rape and prostitution and commercialized vice.) Include offenses against chastity, common decency, morals, and the like, such as:

    Adultery and fornication.

    Buggery

    Incest

    Indecent exposure

    Indecent liberties

    Intercourse with an insane, epileptic, or venereally diseased person.

Seduction

Sodomy or crime against nature.

Statutory rape (no force).

All attempts to commit any of the above.

18. DRUG ABUSE LAWS -- Drug abuse law arrests are requested on the basis of the narcotics used. Make the following subdivisions of drug abuse law arrests:

    Include all arrests for violations of state and local laws, specifically those relating to the unlawful possession, sale, use, growing, manufacturing, and making of narcotic drugs.

    a. Opium or cocaine and their derivatives (morphine, heroin, codeine).

    b. Marijuana.

    c. Synthetic narcotics--manufactured narcotics which can cause true drug addiction (demerol, methadones).

    d. Dangerous nonnarcotic drugs (barbiturates, benzedrine).

19. GAMBLING -- All charges which relate to promoting, permitting, or engaging in gambling are included in this category. To provide a more refined collection of gambling arrests, the following breakdown of gambling arrests should be furnished.

    a. Bookmaking (horse and sport book).

    b. Numbers and lottery.

    c. All other.

20. OFFENSES AGAINST THE FAMILY AND CHILDREN -- Include here all charges of nonsupport and neglect or abuse of family and children, such as:

    Desertion, abandonment, or nonsupport of wife or child.

    Neglect or abuse of child. (If injury is serious, score as aggravated assault.)

    Nonpayment of alimony.

    All attempts to commit any of the above.

21. DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE -- This class is limited to the driving or operating of any vehicle or common carrier while drunk or under the influence of liquor or narcotics. Include:

Operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

Operating an engine, train, streetcar, boat, etc., while intoxicated.

22. LIQUOR LAWS -- With the exception of "drunkenness" (offense #23), and "driving under the influence" (offense #21), liquor law violations, state or local, are placed in this class. Include:

Manufacture, sale, transporting, furnishing, possessing, etc., intoxicating liquor.

Maintaining unlawful drinking places.

Advertising and soliciting orders for intoxicating liquor.

Bootlegging.

Operating still.

Furnishing liquor to a minor or intemperate person.

Using a vehicle for illegal transportation of liquor.

Drinking on train or public conveyance.

All attempts to commit any of the above.

23. DRUNKENNESS -- Not reported in Maryland.

24. DISORDERLY CONDUCT -- In this class are placed all charges of committing a breach of the peace. Include:

Affray.

Unlawful assembly.

Disturbing the peace.

Disturbing meetings.

Disorderly conduct in state institutions, at court, at fairs, on trains, or public conveyances, etc.

Disguised and masked persons; night riders.

Blasphemy, profanity, and obscene language.

Desecrating flag.

Refusing to assist an officer.

All attempts to commit any of the above.

25. VAGRANCY -- Include:

Vagrancy.

Begging.

Loitering (persons 18 and over).

26. ALL OTHER OFFENSES -- Include in this class every other state or local offense not included in offenses 1 to 25, such as:

Admitting minors to improper places.

Abduction and compelling to marry.

Abortion (death resulting from abortion is a homicide, offense class 1a).

Bigamy and polygamy.

Blackmail and extortion.

Bribery.

Combination in restraint of trade; trusts, monopolies.

Contempt of court.

Criminal anarchism.

Criminal syndicalism.

Discrimination; unfair competition.

Kidnapping.

Marriage within prohibited degrees.

Offenses contributing to juvenile delinquency (except as provided for in offenses 1 to 28 inclusive), such as employment of children in immoral vocations or practices, admitting minors to improper place, etc.

Perjury and subornation of perjury.

Possession, repair, manufacture, etc., of burglar's tools.

Possession or sale of obscene literature, pictures, etc.

Public nuisances.

Riot and rout.

Trespass.

Unlawfully bringing weapons into prisons or hospitals.

Unlawfully bringing drugs or liquor into state prisons, hospitals, etc.; furnishing to convicts.

Unlawful disinterment of the dead and violation of sepulture.

Unlawful use, possession, etc., of explosives.

Violation of state regulatory laws and municipal ordinances (this does not include those offenses or regulations which belong in the above classes).

Violation of quarantine.

All offenses not otherwise classified.

All attempts to commit any of the above.

27. SUSPICION -- While "suspicion" is not an offense, it is the ground for many arrests in those jurisdictions where the law permits. After examination by the police, the prisoner is either formally charged or released. Those formally charged are entered in one of the Part I or II offense classes. This class is limited to "suspicion" arrests where persons arrested are released by the police.

28. CURFEW AND LOITERING LAWS -- (JUVENILES) -- Count all arrests made by your department for violation of local curfew or loitering ordinances where such laws exist.

29. RUN-AWAY (JUVENILES) -- For the purpose of Uniform Crime Reporting Program, report in this category apprehensions for protective custody as defined by your local statute. Count arrests made by other jurisdictions of run-aways from your jurisdiction. Do not include protective custody actions with respect to run-aways you take for other jurisdictions.

CRIME FACTORS

Statistics gathered under the Uniform Crime Reporting Program are submitted by the law enforcement agencies of Maryland and project a statewide view of crime. Awareness of the presence of certain crime factors, which may influence the resulting volume and type of statistics presented, is necessary if fair and equitable conclusions are to be drawn. These crime influencing factors are present, to some degree, in every community and their presence affects, in varying degrees, the crime experience of that community. Attempts at comparison of crime figures between communities should not be made without first considering the individual factors present in each community.

Crime, as an outgrowth of society, remains a social problem of grave concern and the police are limited in their role to its suppression and detection. As stated by the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice in their report "The Challenge of Crime in a Free Society" (1967 - Page 92):

> "But the fact that the police deal daily with crime does not mean that they have unlimited power to prevent it, or reduce it, or deter it. The police did not create and cannot resolve the social conditions that stimulate crime. They did not start and cannot stop the convulsive social changes that are taking place in America. They do not enact the laws that they are required to enforce, nor do they dispose of the criminals they arrest. The police are only one part of the criminal justice system; the criminal justice system is only one part of the government; and the government is only one part of society. Insofar as crime is a social phenomenon, crime prevention is the responsibility of every part of society. The criminal process is limited to case by case operations, one criminal or one crime at a time."

Set forth below are some of the conditions which will, by type and volume, affect the crime that occurs from place to place:

Density and size of the community population and the metropolitan area of which it is a part.

Composition of the population with reference particularly to age, sex and race.

Economic status of the population.

Relative stability of population, including commuters, seasonal, and other transient types.

Climate, including seasonal weather conditions.

Educational, recreational, and religious characteristics.

Standards governing appointments to the police force.

Policies of the prosecuting officials and the courts.

Attitude of the public toward law enforcement problems.

The administrative and investigative efficiency of the local law enforcement agency, including the degree of adherence to crime reporting standards.

Organization and cooperation of adjoining and overlapping police jurisdictions.

CRIME INDEX

The tabulations presented in the tables, graphs, and charts in this publication indicate the volume and distribution of crime in Maryland on the basis of a Crime Index. The crime figures are broken down by agency, county, regional, and state totals.

The total number of criminal acts that occur is unknown, but those that are reported to law enforcement provide the first means of a count. Not all crimes are of sufficient importance to be significant in an index; and not all important crimes occur with enough regularity to be meaningful in an index. With these considerations in mind, the crimes below were selected as a group to furnish a convenient measure of the crime problem:

1. Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter
2. Forcible Rape
3. Robbery
4. Aggravated Assault
5. Breaking or Entering
6. Larceny-Theft
7. Motor Vehicle Theft
8. Arson*

These offenses were selected because they are serious either by nature or frequency of occurrence.

The crime counts set forth in this publication are actual offenses established by police investigation. When police receive a complaint of a crime and the follow-up investigation discloses no crime occurred, it is "unfounded".

In 1986, police investigations "unfounded" 5 percent of the complaints concerning Index Offenses, ranging from 1 percent in the Aggravated Assault category to 12 percent in the Rape category. When compared to 1985, there was 1 percent "unfounded" in the Aggravated Assault category, and 15 percent in the Breaking or Entering category.

Calculation of Rates and Trends

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program provides data for police executives to measure local problems. To facilitate this function, it is sometimes necessary to convert the data into rates, percentages or trends. Certain guidelines are presented.

Crime Rates

One of the most meaningful crime statistics is the Crime Rate. This rate is the number of offenses per 100,000 inhabitants.

*1986 arson statistics are not included in the Crime Index in this report.

This rate can be calculated regardless of the number of inhabitants in your city or county. To compute rates, divide your city's population by 100,000 and divide the number of offenses in each class by that answer. The answer is the number of offenses in each class per 100,000 and is your Crime Rate for that offense.

Example:

a. Population for your jurisdiction 75,000
b. Number of burglaries for your jurisdiction for a year 215

Divide 75,000 by 100,000 = .75

Divide 215 by .75 = 286.7

Your burglary rate: 286.7 per 100,000 inhabitants

The number of .75 can now be divided into your totals in any offense class to produce a Crime Rate for that offense.

This same computation can be completed to give you arrest rates per 100,000 inhabitants.

Clearance Rates

The percentage of crimes cleared by arrest is obtained by dividing the number of offenses cleared by the number of actual offenses. This answer is then multiplied by 100. An example of this calculation is:

a. Number of clearances in robbery 38
b. Number of actual robberies 72

Divide 38 by 72 = .528

Multiply: .528 x 100 = 52.8

Your percentage of clearance in robbery is 52.8%.

Percent of Change

The method most commonly used to compare crime statistics for the current year with any prior year is the Percent of Change. This Percent is calculated by subtracting the prior year's data from the current year's data and dividing the resulting figure by the prior year's data. The answer is then multiplied by 100. An example of this calculation is:

a. Current year's murders 399
b. Prior year's murders 350

Subtract 350 from 399 = 49

Divide 49 by 350 = .140

Multiply .140 x 100 = 14.0

Your Percent of Change in Murder is 14 percent when rounded.

MARYLAND
OFFENSE DATA

CRIME INDEX OFFENSES

VOLUME

A total of 249,968 Crime Index Offenses were reported to law enforcement agencies in Maryland during the Calendar Year 1986. This represents an increase of 6 percent when compared to the 1985 data which was comprised of a total of 236,388 Crime Index Offenses.

The Crime Index Offenses referred to here represent the most common problem to law enforcement. They are serious crimes by their nature, volume, or frequency of occurrence. Basically, they can be categorized as Violent Crime, which includes Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, and Aggravated Assault, or as Property Crimes which include Breaking or Entering, Larceny, and Motor Vehicle Theft.

An analysis of the total Index by month in 1986 shows that July had the highest frequency of occurrence and February had the lowest. In 1985, August had the highest frequency of occurrence and February had the lowest.

VIOLENT CRIME

Violent Crimes involve the element of personal confrontation between the perpetrator and the victim. Because of their very nature Violent Crimes are considered more serious than Property Crimes. These offenses accounted for 15 percent of the total Crime Index for 1986. In 1985, Violent Crimes accounted for 16 percent of the total Crime Index.

Analyzing the Violent Crimes by month reveals July had the greatest frequency of occurrence, while February had the lowest.

PROPERTY CRIME

The number of Property Crimes reported during 1986 was more than 6 times greater than the number of Violent Crimes reported. As a group, Property Crimes made up 85 percent of the total Crime Index. In 1985, Property Crimes made up 84 percent of the total Crime Index.

A monthly analysis showed August had the highest frequency of occurrence and February had the lowest. In 1985, August had the highest frequency of occurrence and February had the lowest.

RATES

Crime Rates relate the incidence of crime to the resident population. Many other factors which may contribute to the volume

and type of crime in a given jurisdiction are not incorporated here, but are shown in the section entitled "Crime Factors".

In 1986, the Crime Rate for Maryland was 5,600.9 victims for every 100,000 population. This represents a 4 percent increase in the Crime Rate when compared to 1985 with 5,382.2 victims per 100,000 population.

The 1986 Rate for Violent Crime group was established at 832.3 victims per 100,000 inhabitants, a 1 percent decrease compared with the 1985 Rate of 837.1. The Property Crime group resulted in a Rate of 4,768.7 per 100,000 inhabitants. This results in a 5 percent increase when compared to the 1985 Rate of 4,545.2.

CLEARANCES

For Uniform Crime Reporting purposes, a crime is cleared when police have identified the offender, have evidence to charge him and actually take him into custody. Solutions of crimes are also recorded in exceptional instances where some element beyond police control precludes formal charges against the offender, such as the victim's refusal to prosecute or local prosection is declined because the subject is being prosecuted elsewhere for a crime committed in another jurisdiction. The arrest of one person can clear several crimes or several persons may be arrested in the process of solving one crime.

As in 1985, Maryland law enforcement agencies cleared 22 percent of all Index Offenses reported to them in 1986.

The Violent Crimes recorded a 48 percent clearance rate as compared to 1985 with a 46 percent clearance rate. The Property Crime group revealed an 18 percent clearance rate in 1986. During 1985, police also cleared 18 percent of the Property Crimes.

Considering individually the 1986 Violent Crime solution rate, it was determined that police were successful in solving 73 percent of the Murders, 60 percent of the Rapes, 24 percent of the Robberies, and 62 percent of the Aggravated Assaults. The Property Crime solution rates were 17 percent for Breaking or Entering, 18 percent for Larceny, and 17 percent for Motor Vehicle Theft.

The relatively high clearance rate for Violent Crimes as compared to non-violent Property Crimes is in part attributable to the volume difference between the two. Property Crime volume is much greater than that of Violent Crime and police investigation of Violent Crime is usually more intense. The element of confrontation between victim and perpetrator, as well as witness identification of the perpetrator, also contributes to this higher rate of solution.

Juvenile Clearances

Juvenile clearances are those offenses cleared but only involving persons under 18. If even one person is over 17, the offense is not considered a juvenile clearance.

In 1986, the clearance involvement of those persons under the age of 18 represented 20 percent of all cases cleared. In 1985, this Juvenile Clearance Rate was 21 percent.

The juvenile clearances for the Violent Crime category represented 13 percent of those cases solved, compared to 14 percent in 1985, with 3 percent clearances in Murder cases, 9 percent clearances in Rape cases, 17 percent clearances in Robbery cases, and 12 percent clearances in Aggravated Assault cases.

The Property Crime clearances involving juveniles represented 24 percent of those cases solved. 1985 had a 25 percent Property Crime clearance rate involving juveniles. Juvenile clearances accounted for 21 percent in Breaking or Entering cases, 23 percent in Larceny cases, and 31 percent in Motor Vehicle Theft cases.

Stolen Property Value

The total value of Property Stolen during 1986 was $225,987,138 which resulted in an 18 percent increase over 1985. Recovered Property amounted to $101,009,772 which is 45 percent of the total stolen, resulting in a $124,977,366 property loss to victims in the State of Maryland during 1986. This property loss results in a 13 percent increase when compared to the property loss in 1985.

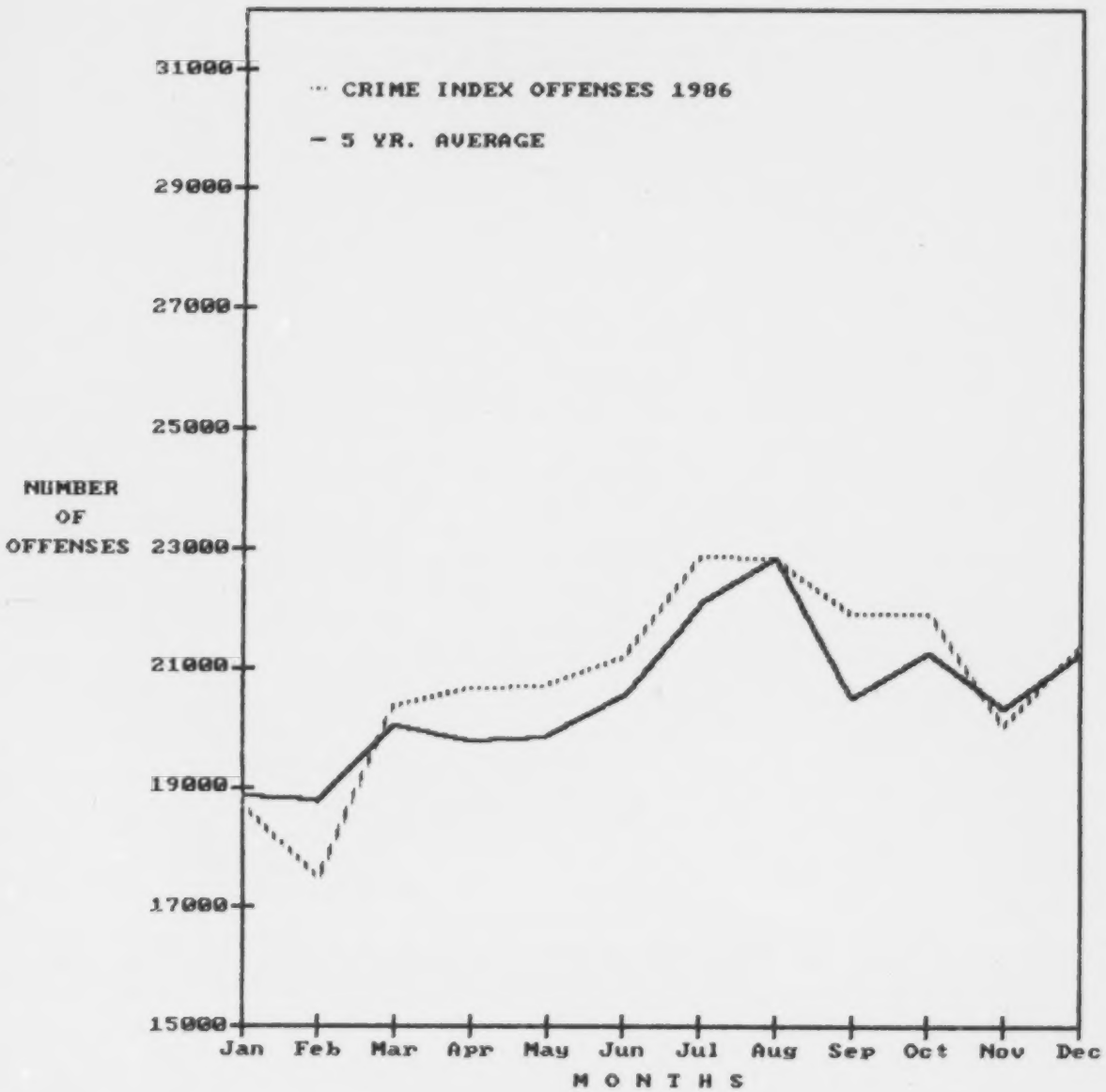
5 YEAR TREND

(Value in Millions)

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Stolen	174	226	192	156	148	148
Recovered	67	101	82	60	49	44

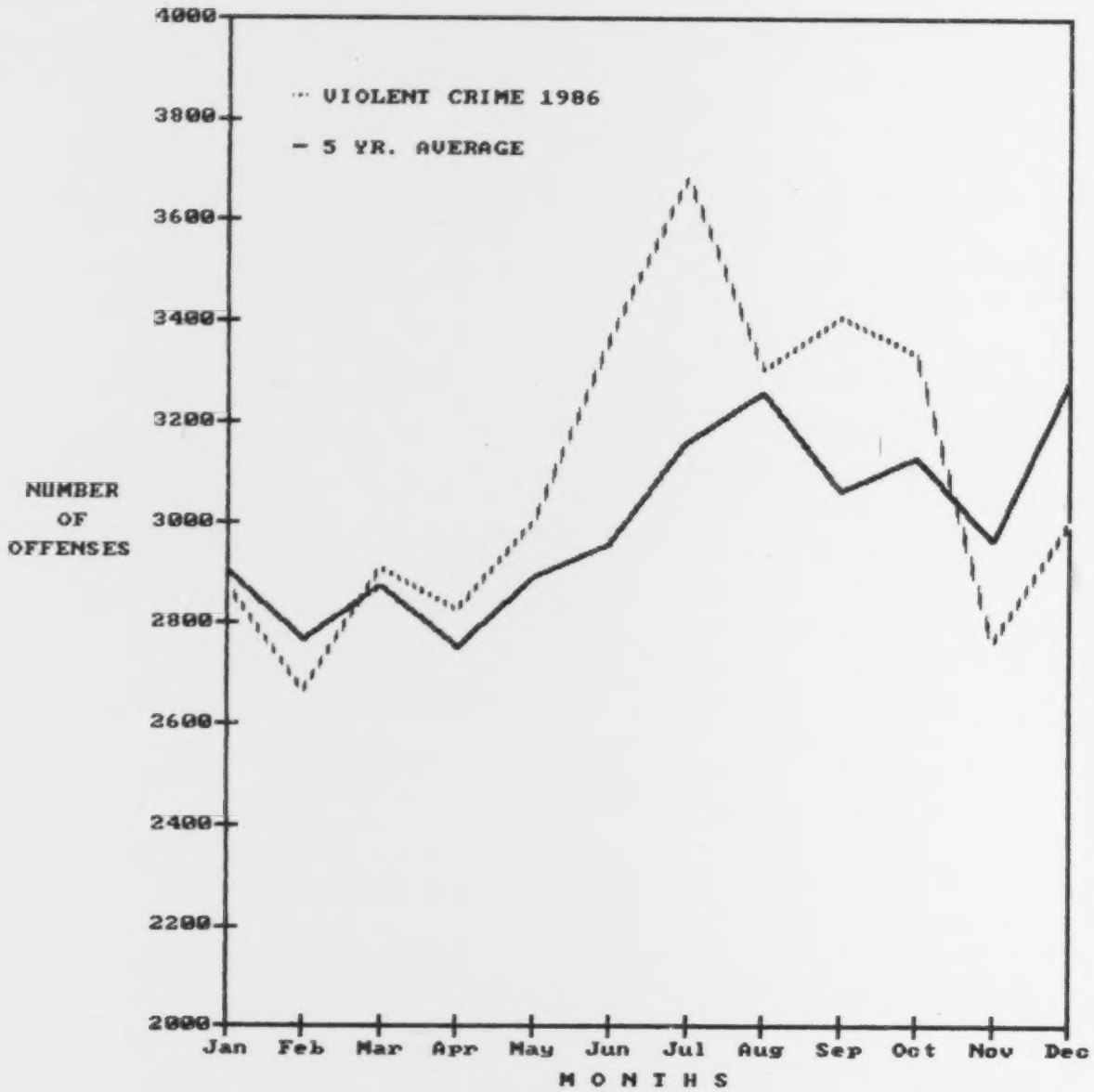
CRIME INDEX OFFENSES

VOLUME BY MONTH



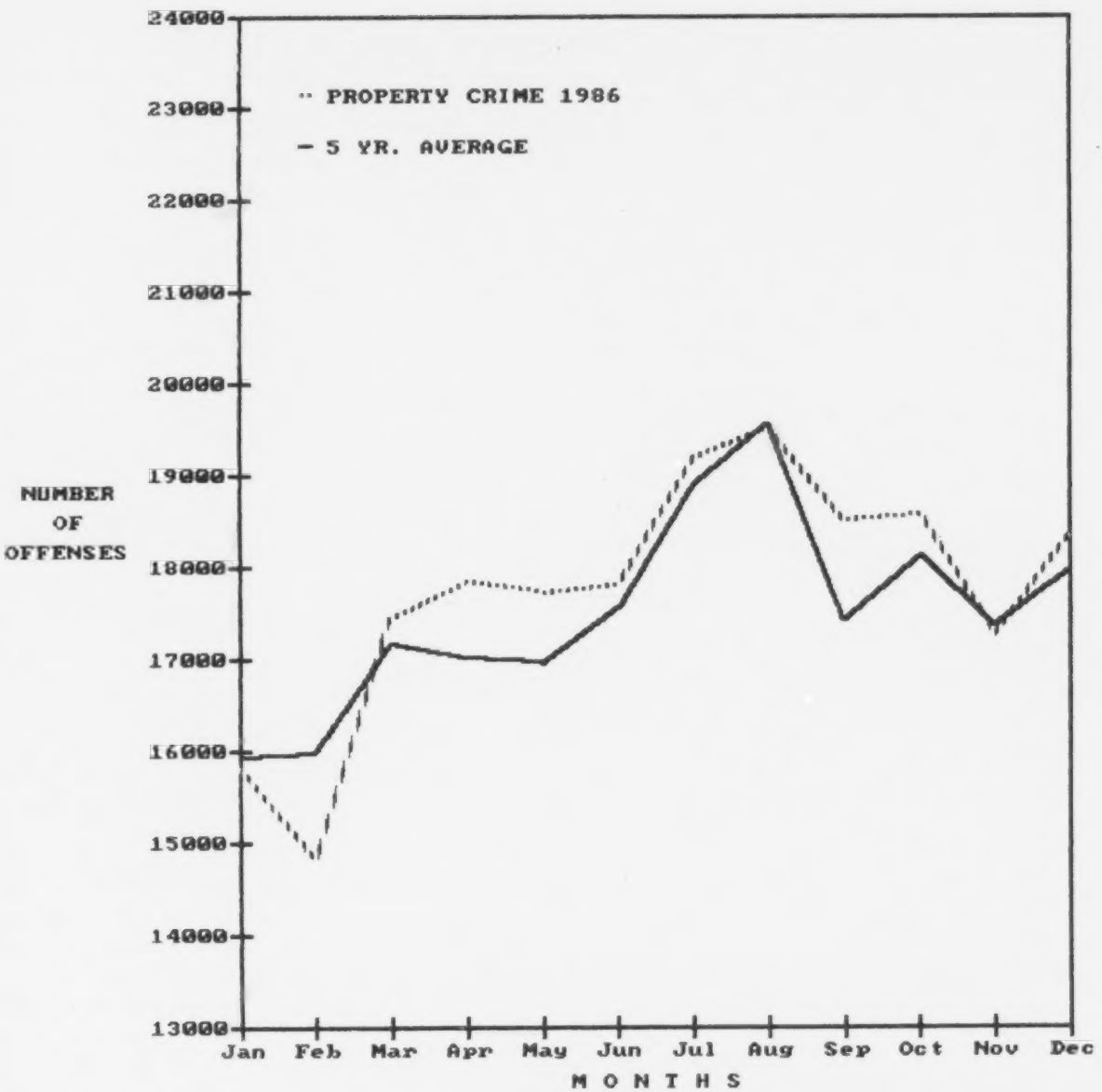
VIOLENT CRIME

VOLUME BY MONTH



PROPERTY CRIME

VOLUME BY MONTH



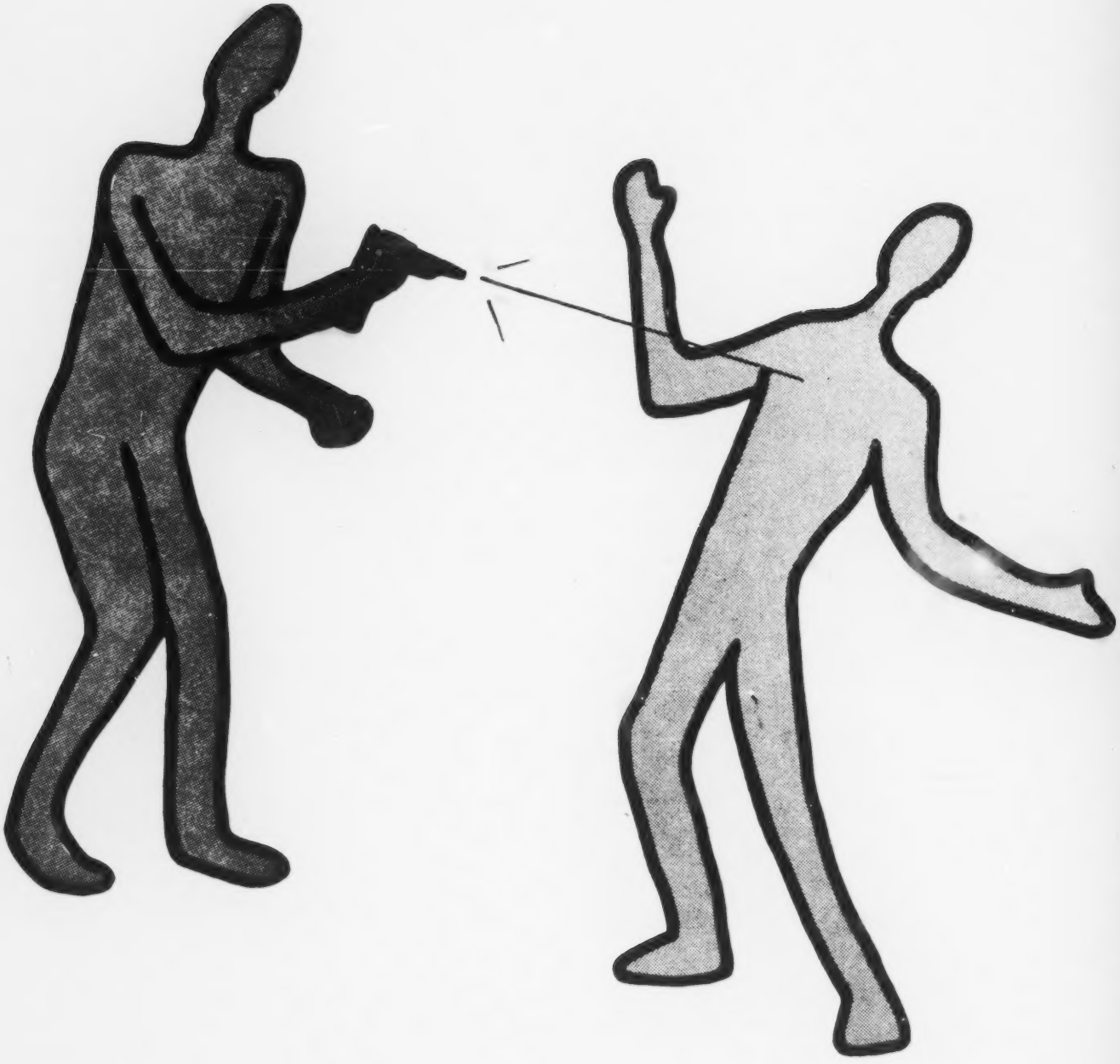
STOLEN PROPERTY

ANALYSIS OF VALUE STOLEN AND RECOVERED

TYPE OF PROPERTY	VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN	VALUE OF PROPERTY RECOVERED	PERCENT OF VALUE RECOVERED
Currency, Notes, Etc.	$ 14,284,357	$ 490,313	3%
Jewelry and Precious Metals	21,933,440	1,099,684	5%
Clothing and Furs	5,560,621	783,939	14%
Locally Stolen Motor Vehicles	120,131,912	90,595,400	75%
Office Equipment	2,760,894	213,602	8%
Televisions, Radios, Cameras, Etc.	15,445,994	1,008,027	7%
Firearms	1,232,443	158,892	13%
Household Goods	3,893,769	261,451	7%
Consumable Goods	1,598,059	212,796	13%
Livestock	90,425	22,362	25%
Miscellaneous	39,055,224	6,163,306	16%
*TOTAL	$225,987,138	$101,009,772	45%

*Breakdown may not equal total due to rounding.

MURDER



MURDER

Murder is defined as the willful (nonnegligent) killing of one human being by another. As a general rule, any death due to a fight, argument, quarrel, assault, or commission of a crime is counted as a Murder. This offense is scored on the basis of police investigation without regard to the findings of a court or jury or the decision of a prosecutor. Assaults to Murder and Attempted Murders are counted as Aggravated Assaults. Suicide, accidental deaths and justifiable homicides are also excluded.

VOLUME

In 1986, a total of 399 Murders were reported to law enforcement agencies in Maryland. This compares to 350 Murders in 1985 and results in an increase of 15 percent. Murder comprises 1 percent of the total Violent Crime category and .2 percent of the total Crime Index.

RATE

In 1986, there were 8.9 victims of Murder for every 100,000 residents in Maryland. During 1985, we reported a Murder Rate of 8.0 victims per 100,000 population, resulting in an 11 percent increase.

NATURE

In 1986, firearms predominated as the weapon most often used in the commission of Murder in Maryland, representing 59 percent of the total. This compares to 60 percent of the total during 1985. 51 percent of the total Murders were committed with handguns, while 21 percent were committed with a knife or cutting instrument, 5 percent with a shotgun, 5 percent with personal weapons, and 15 percent with other dangerous weapons. In 1985, 51 percent of the total Murders were committed with a handgun, 22 percent were committed with a knife or cutting instrument, 5 percent with a shotgun, 8 percent with personal weapons and 14 percent with other dangerous weapons.

The largest number of Murders (79) occurred in the 25-29 age group, which comprised 20 percent of the total. In 1985, the largest number of Murders (60) occurred in the 20-24 age group, which comprised 17 percent of the total.

Murders, as a result of Robberies, accounted for 13 percent of the total Murders; narcotic related Murders represented 16 percent. In 47 percent of the Murders, the circumstances were not determined at the time of the reports. In 1985, Murders, as a result of robberies, accounted for 14 percent of the total Murders, while narcotic related Murders represented 13 percent. In 55 percent of the Murders, the circumstances were not determined at the time of the report.

Clearances

In 1986, 73 percent of all Murders were cleared with 3 percent of the total solved involving only juveniles. This compares to 1985 with a 78 percent clearance rate and 8 percent of the total cleared involving only juveniles.

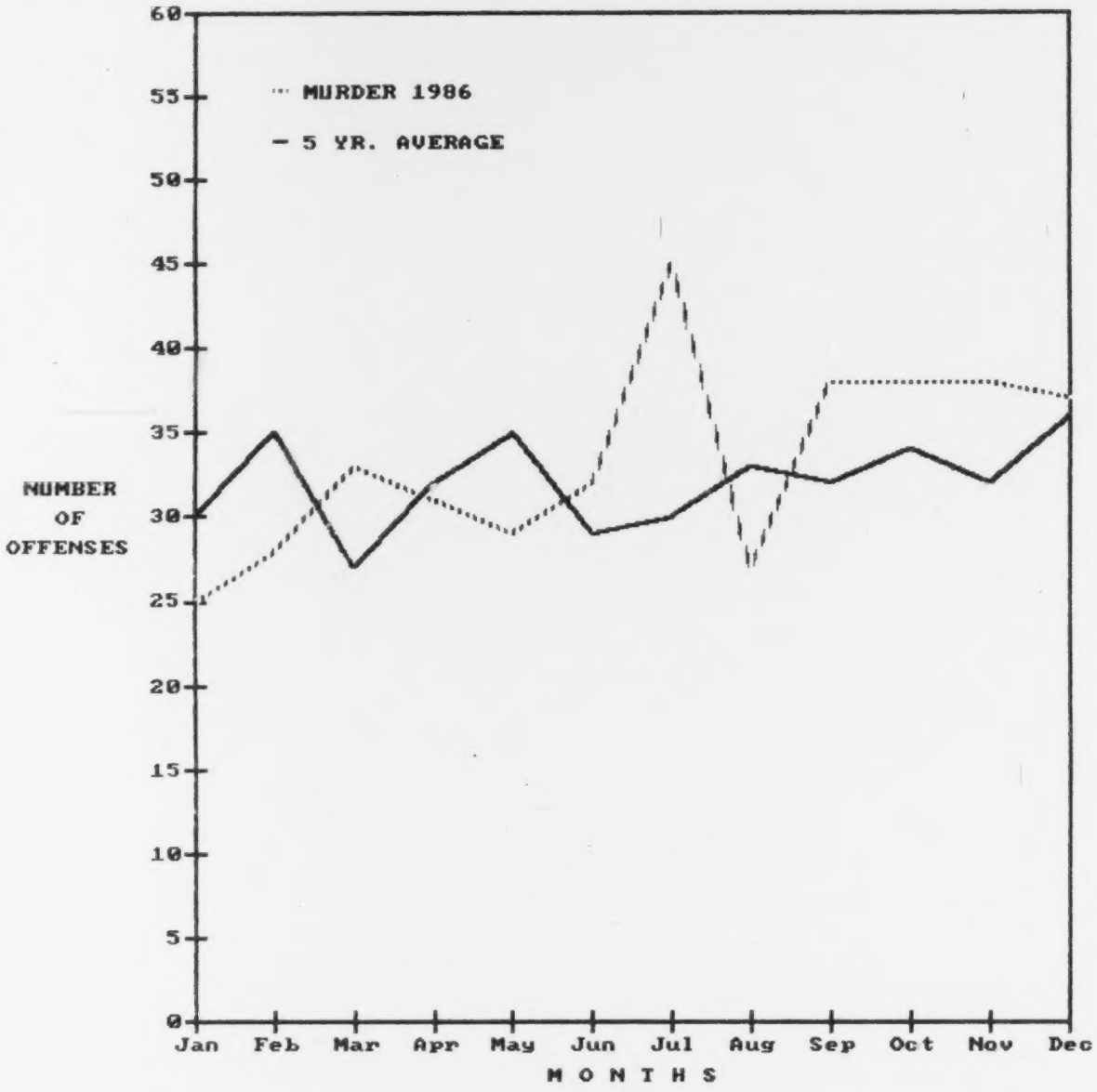
Persons Arrested

A total of 386 persons were arrested in Maryland for Murder during 1986. This represents an 8 percent increase when compared to 1985, with a total of 356 persons arrested for Murder.

Of this total, 89 percent were males and 11 percent female. 76 percent of the total were black while 23 percent were white. 92 percent were adults and 8 percent were juveniles.

MURDER

VOLUME BY MONTH



MURDER

DISTRIBUTION BY CIRCUMSTANCE

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
RAPE	5	1	1	5	6	11
ROBBERY	49	53	48	43	48	53
BURGLARY	2	3	1	1	3	4
ARSON	2	1	1	2	1	5
LARCENY	0	0	1	0	1	0
PROSTITUTION	0	0	0	0	0	1
OTHER SEX OFFENSES	1	1	3	0	1	2
NARCOTIC DRUG LAWS	53	65	44	45	56	54
LOVER'S TRIANGLE	17	16	5	28	22	14
BRAWL DUE TO THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL	8	7	5	11	9	10
BRAWL DUE TO THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS	1	1	0	2	0	0
CHILD KILLED BY BABYSITTER	3	2	3	2	4	2
INSTITUTIONAL KILLINGS	2	1	1	2	3	5
ARGUMENTS	32	26	28	50	27	28
OTHER	23	34	16	20	15	29
UNKNOWN	182	188	193	143	171	213
TOTAL	380	399	350	354	367	431

MURDER

DISTRIBUTION BY TYPE OF WEAPON

	PERCENT DISTRIB.	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
HANDGUN	48.4%	184	204	177	162	179	200
BLUNT OBJECT	5.0%	19	24	15	18	18	20
RIFLE	3.7%	14	10	13	11	16	20
SHOTGUN	6.3%	24	21	16	26	18	37
KNIFE	21.8%	83	83	77	81	85	89
PERSONAL	6.1%	23	21	27	20	21	27
ALL OTHERS	8.7%	33	36	25	36	30	38
TOTAL	*100.0%	380	399	350	354	367	431

*Percent distribution may not add to 100% due to rounding.

RAPE

RAPE

Rape is the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will. In Uniform Crime Reporting, Rape is divided into two categories: (1) Rape by Force; (2) Attempt to commit Forcible Rape. Statutory Rape or the carnal knowledge of a female with no force used and where the victim is under the legal age of consent, as well as other sex offenses, are not included in this category.

VOLUME

During 1986, 1,947 Forcible Rapes were reported to Maryland law enforcement agencies. This compares to 1,711 Rapes during 1985 and results in a 14 percent increase.

Rape accounted for 5 percent of the Violent Crimes and .8 percent of the total Crime Index.

The month of September showed the highest frequency of Rapes, while January showed the lowest. In 1985, August had the highest frequency and February showed the lowest.

5 YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Force	1,293	1,538	1,320	1,289	1,129	1,188
Attempt	369	409	391	355	283	408
Total	1,662	1,947	1,711	1,644	1,412	1,596

RATE

A Crime Rate, in its proper perspective, is a victim risk rate since it equates the number of crimes per unit of population. In 1986, 87.3 out of every 100,000 females in Maryland were reported Rape victims, as compared to 1985, when 77.9 per 100,000 female population were reported victims. This results in a 12 percent increase in the rate of Forcible Rapes.

NATURE

During 1986, 79 percent of all Rapes were actual Rapes by Force while 21 percent were attempts or assaults to commit Forcible Rape. In 1985, 77 percent of all Rapes were actual Rapes by Force while 23 percent were attempts or assaults to commit Forcible Rape.

Clearances

In Calendar Year 1986, 60 percent of the total number of Rapes were cleared with 9 percent of the total solved involving only juveniles. In 1985, 59 percent of the total Rapes were cleared and 13 percent of the total cleared involved only juveniles.

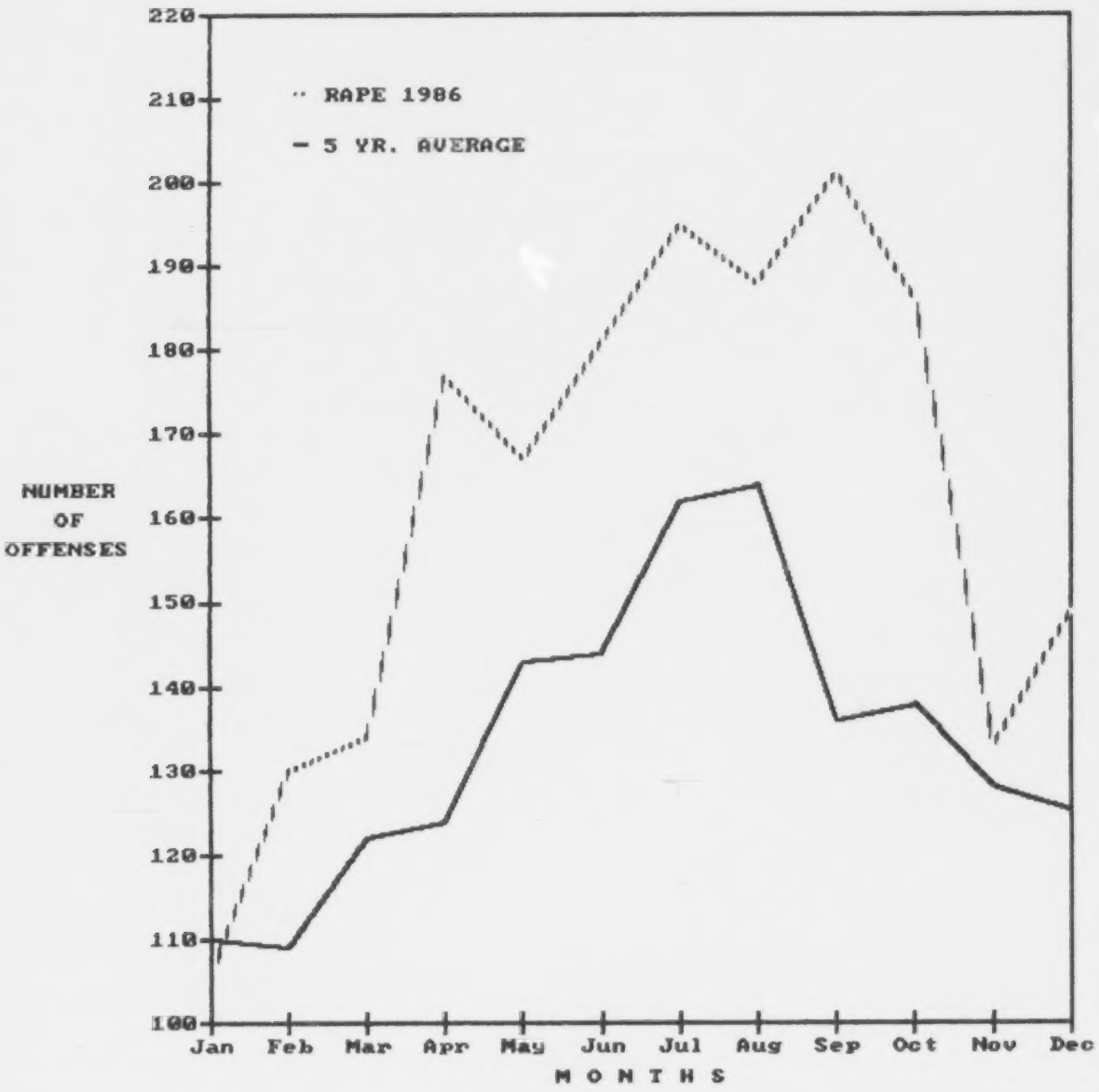
Persons Arrested

In 1986, there were 889 persons arrested for Rape in Maryland. In comparison to 1985, with 841, there was a 6 percent increase in the number of arrests.

81 percent of the total number were 18 years of age or older, while the remaining 19 percent were juveniles. 64 percent of the total were black and 35 percent white and 1 percent were of other races.

RAPE

VOLUME BY MONTH



ROBBERY

ROBBERY

Robbery is defined as the taking, or attempting to take, anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear. The element of personal confrontation is always present in this crime. Under the Uniform Crime Reporting Program, all attempts to commit Robbery are included. Robberies are reported in four general categories -- firearms; knife or cutting instrument; other dangerous weapons; and hands, fists, feet, etc. As a general rule, Robbery differs from Larceny in that it is aggravated by the element of force or threat of force.

Robbery, as a crime of Violence, has a serious impact on the victim. In many instances serious injury results. Oftentime, with or without physical injury, the victim suffers mental anguish. Such damage is immeasurable.

VOLUME

During 1986, there were 13,570 actual Robbery offenses reported to Maryland law enforcement agencies. In 1985, there were 13,276 Robberies, which results in an increase of 2 percent.

Robbery accounted for 37 percent of the Violent Crime category and 5 percent of the total Crime Index.

A monthly comparison reveals that January had the highest frequency of Robberies while May had the lowest frequency. In 1985, December had the highest frequency and April had the lowest.

5 YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Firearm	5,818	5,696	5,457	5,287	6,276	6,374
Knife	1,140	1,091	1,100	1,064	1,200	1,246
Strong Arm	6,077	5,752	5,714	5,760	6,469	6,690
Other	1,022	1,031	1,005	1,002	1,005	1,067
Total	14,057	13,570	13,276	13,113	14,950	15,377

RATE

In 1986, Robbery Rate was 304.1 per 100,000 inhabitants. This compares to a rate of 302.3 per 100,000 population in 1985 and results in a .6 percent increase in the Robbery Rate.

NATURE

During 1986, 64 percent of the Robberies were committed on the street, while only 1 percent were Bank Robberies. These percentages are the same as in 1985.

Bank Robberies accounted for the highest average value loss, $3,285 in 1986. The average value loss for total Robberies was $515.

Armed perpetrators were responsible for 58 percent of the Robbery offenses while 42 percent were muggings or strong-armed Robberies. This compares to 1985, when 57 percent involved Armed Robberies and 43 percent were strong-arm.

An analysis of Armed Robbery by type of weapon indicates that the use of firearms was predominate, accounting for 73 percent of all Armed Robberies. Knives or cutting instruments made up 14 percent while other dangerous weapons accounted for 13 percent of all Armed Robberies. In 1985, 72 percent of the total Armed Robberies were committed with firearms, 15 percent with knives or cutting instruments, and 13 percent with other dangerous weapons.

CLEARANCES

In 1986, 24 percent of the total number of Robberies were cleared with 17 percent of the total solved involving only juveniles. In 1985, 24 percent of the Robberies were cleared and 20 percent of those involved only juveniles.

23 percent of the Armed Robberies were cleared with 10 percent of the total solved involving only juveniles. 26 percent of the strong-arm Robberies recorded a clearance, while 26 percent of the total involved only juveniles.

PERSONS ARRESTED

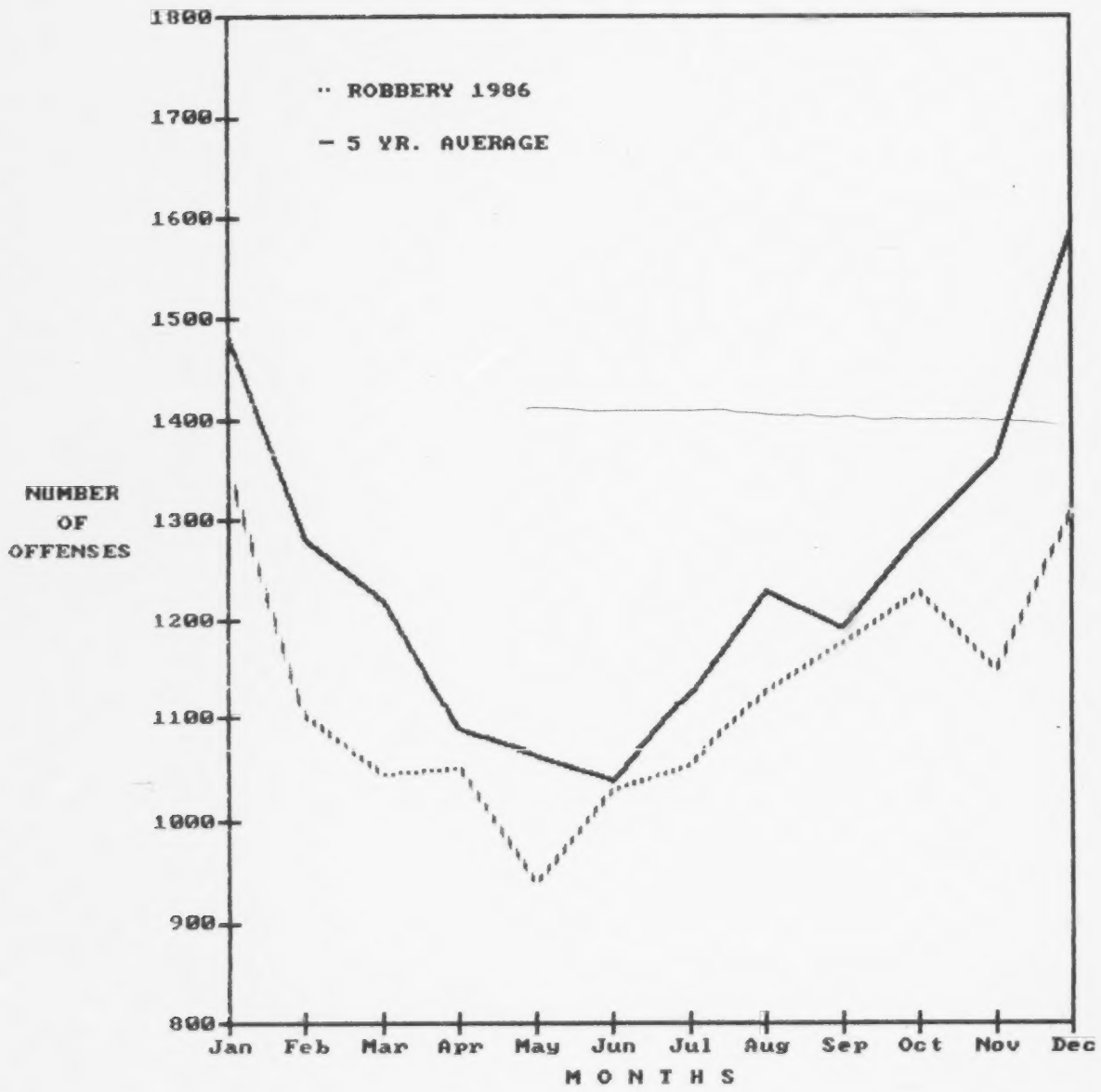
3,781 persons were arrested for Robbery in Maryland during 1986. In comparison with 1985, and a total of 3,809 persons arrested, there was a 1 percent decrease in Robbery arrests.

69 percent of the total number of persons arrested for Robbery were adults, while the remaining 31 percent were juveniles.

82 percent of the total persons arrested were black and 18 percent were white. 94 percent were males and 6 percent females.

ROBBERY

VOLUME BY MONTH



ROBBERY

DISTRIBUTION BY NATURE

CLASSIFICATION	NUMBER OF OFFENSES	PERCENT OF DISTRIB.	TOTAL VALUES (DOLLARS)	AVERAGE VALUES (DOLLARS)
HIGHWAY	8,613	63.5%	$3,079,994	$ 358
COMMERCIAL HOUSE	1,404	10.3%	1,147,665	817
SERVICE STATION	359	2.6%	171,364	477
CONVENIENCE STORE	413	3.0%	190,626	462
RESIDENCE	1,093	8.1%	975,731	893
BANK	175	1.3%	574,906	3,285
MISCELLANEOUS	1,513	11.1%	846,280	559
TOTAL	13,570	*100.0%	$6,986,566	$ 515

*Percent distribution may not add to 100% due to rounding.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

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Aggravated Assault, as defined under the Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program, is an unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm. Attempts are included since it is not necessary that any injury result when a gun, knife, or other weapon is used which would result in serious personal injury if the crime were successfully completed. Also included in this category are all attempted Murders.

Any assault in which hands, fists and feet are used and no serious injury to the victim results, is classified as a simple assault which falls into the Part II category, and is not included as a Crime Index Offense.

VOLUME

During 1986, a total of 21,226 Aggravated Assaults were reported to Maryland law enforcement agencies. In comparison, there were 21,425 Aggravated Assaults in 1985, resulting in a 1 percent decrease.

Aggravated Assault made up 57 percent of the Violent Crime category and 9 percent of the total Crime Index.

The month of July had the highest frequency of Aggravated Assaults occurring, while January had the lowest.

5 YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Firearm	4,588	4,835	4,888	4,586	4,122	4,511
Knife	4,461	4,583	4,555	4,330	4,304	4,531
Other	6,886	7,860	7,717	6,938	5,919	5,997
Hands, etc.	3,839	3,948	4,265	3,515	3,662	3,806
Total	19,774	21,226	21,425	19,369	18,007	18,845

Rate

For each 100,000 persons in Maryland during 1986, there were 475.6 victims of Aggravated Assault. During 1985, there were 487.8 Aggravated Assault victims per 100,000 population. A comparison of the two years results in a 3 percent decrease.

Nature

In 1986, 23 percent of the Aggravated Assaults were committed with the use of a firearm. A knife or cutting instrument was used in 22 percent of Assaults and 37 percent were committed with other dangerous weapons. The remaining 19 percent were committed with personal weapons, such as hands, fists, feet, etc. These figures compare to 1985, when 23 percent of Aggravated Assaults were committed with a firearm, 21 percent with a knife or cutting instrument, 36 percent with other dangerous weapons, and 20 percent with personal weapons.

Clearances

62 percent of the total number of Aggravated Assaults were cleared with 12 percent of the total clearances involving only juveniles. As compared to 1985, 58 percent of the total were cleared, and of those cleared, 14 percent involved only juveniles.

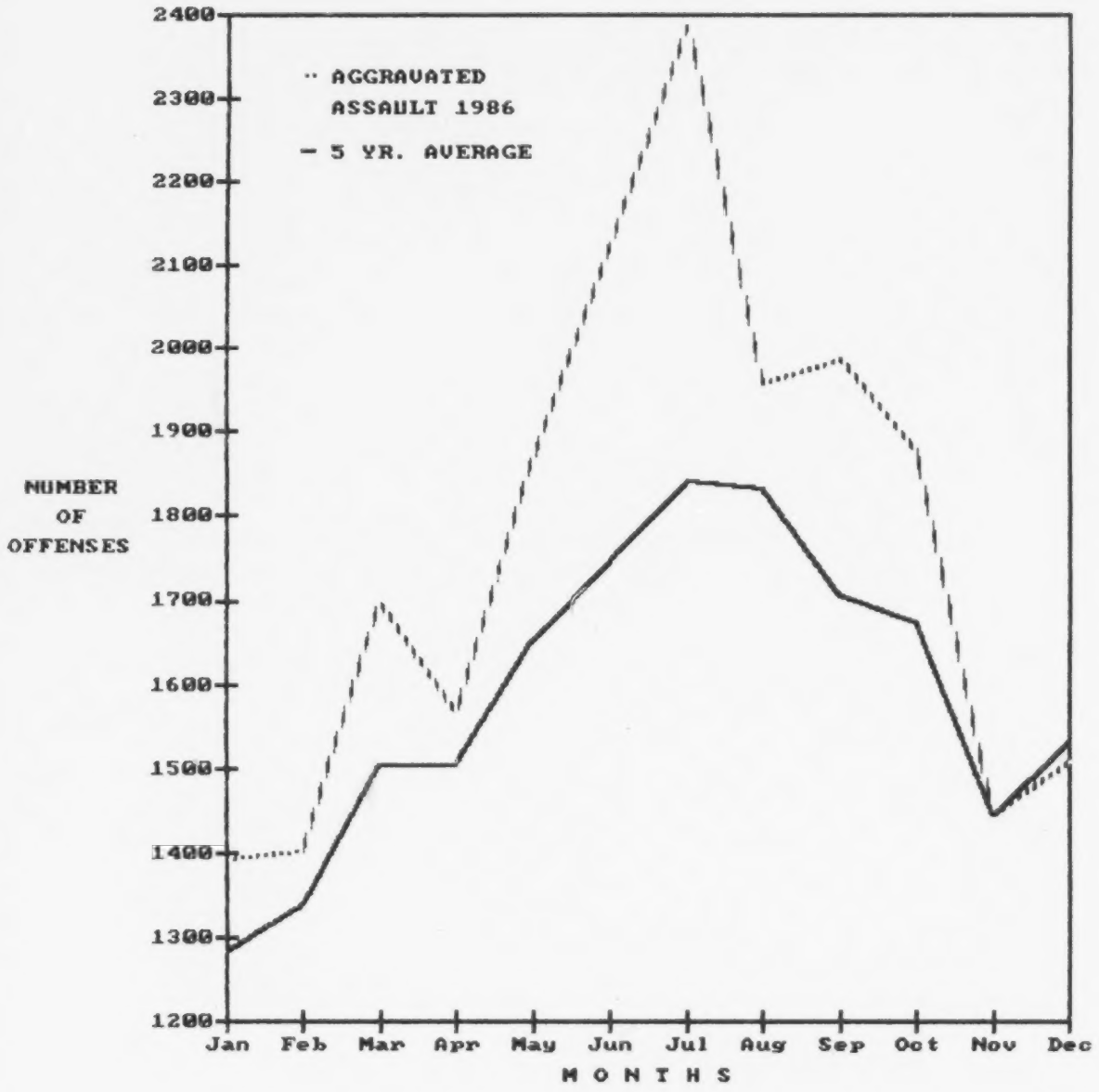
Persons Arrested

There were 7,551 arrests for Aggravated Assault in Maryland during 1986. This results in a 1 percent increase when compared to 1985, with 7,475 persons arrested.

81 percent of the total number of persons arrested for Aggravated Assault were adults, while 19 percent were juveniles. 53 percent of the total were black and 47 percent white. 84 percent of the total were males, while 16 percent were females.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

VOLUME BY MONTH



BREAKING OR ENTERING

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Breaking or Entering is defined as the unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or a theft.

Data Collection for this offense is further categorized as to forcible entries, unlawful entries where no force is used, and attempted forcible entries.

As with other Property Crimes, the motive of personal gain coupled with the element of opportunity, results in the commission of this offense by both the amateur and the professional perpetrator. Only the absence of confrontation and use of force separate this crime from Robbery of the Violent Crime group.

The volume of this offense presents the police with a serious enforcement problem, made more difficult in many areas, by the lack of sufficient personnel to act as a deterrent and to provide successful solutions to these crimes.

VOLUME

In 1986, a total of 55,596 Breaking or Enterings were reported to Maryland law enforcement agencies. In comparison, there were 53,168 Breaking or Enterings in 1985 resulting in a 5 percent increase.

Breaking or Enterings made up 26 percent of the Property Crime category and 22 percent of the total Crime Index.

A monthly analysis reveals that August had the highest frequency of occurrence while February had the lowest frequency. In 1985, August showed the highest frequency and April showed the lowest.

5 YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Forcible	40,841	40,572	38,785	38,666	39,573	46,610
No Force	7,670	8,943	8,381	7,039	6,928	7,057
Attempt	6,190	6,081	6,002	5,793	6,196	6,880
Total	54,701	55,596	53,168	51,498	52,697	60,547

Rate

The Breaking or Entering Rate was 1,245.7 per 100,000 inhabitants of Maryland during 1986. In 1985, there were 1,210.6 Breaking or Entering victims per 100,000 population. In comparison, this results in a 2.9 percent increase in the Breaking or Entering Rate.

Nature

In 1986, 73 percent of the Breaking or Enterings involved forcible entry, 16 percent were unlawful entries (without force), and 11 percent were recorded as attempted forcible entries. In comparison, 73 percent were forcible entry, 16 percent were unlawful entries, and 16 percent were attempted forcible entries during 1985.

67 percent of all Breaking or Enterings were committed in a residence, while 33 percent were committed in a nonresidence structure. In 1985, 66 percent of all Breaking or Enterings were committed in a residence, while 34 percent occurred in a nonresidence structure.

The average dollar value loss for Breaking or Entering was $897. This compares to 1985 with $905 and results in a 1 percent decrease.

Clearances

In 1986, law enforcement agencies in Maryland were successful in clearing 17 percent of the total Breaking or Entering Offenses, of which 21 percent involved only juveniles. During 1985, police cleared 17 percent of the total Breaking or Enterings, with 23 percent of that number involving only juveniles.

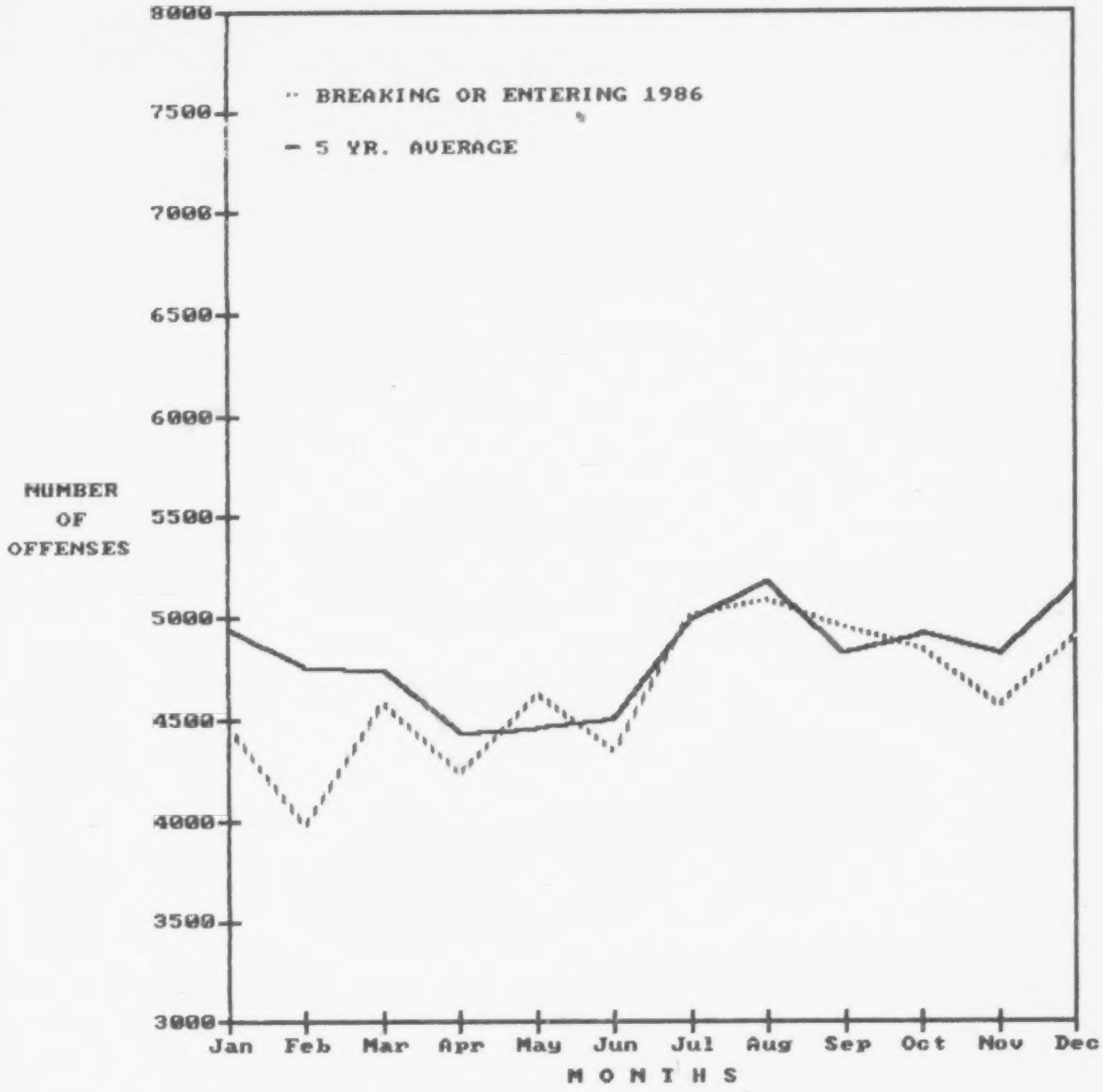
Persons Arrested

In 1986, there were 10,271 persons arrested in Maryland for Breaking or Entering. When compared to 1985, with 10,666 arrests, there is a 4 percent decrease in Breaking or Entering arrests.

67 percent of the total number of persons arrested for Breaking or Entering were adults, while 33 percent were juveniles. 49 percent of the total were white, and 51 percent were black. 94 percent of the total were males, while the remaining 6 percent were females.

BREAKING OR ENTERING

VOLUME BY MONTH



BREAKING OR ENTERING

DISTRIBUTION BY NATURE

CLASSIFICATION	NUMBER OF OFFENSES	PERCENT OF DISTRIB.	TOTAL VALUES (DOLLARS)	AVERAGE VALUES (DOLLARS)
RESIDENCE TOTAL	37,089	66.7%	$33,090,143	$ 892
Night	11,519	20.7%	8,597,524	746
Day	13,324	24.0%	12,407,337	931
Unknown	12,246	22.0%	12,085,282	987
NONRESIDENCE TOTAL	18,507	33.3%	16,772,176	906
Night	6,413	11.5%	4,554,181	710
Day	4,255	7.7%	4,001,835	941
Unknown	7,839	14.1%	8,216,160	1,048
GRAND TOTAL	55,596	*100.0%	$49,862,319	$ 897

*Percent distribution may not add to 100% due to rounding.

LARCENY

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Larceny-Theft is defined as the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. It includes such crimes as pocket-picking, shoplifting, purse snatching, thefts from autos, thefts of auto parts and accessories, bicycle theft, etc. In the UCR Program, this category does not include embezzlement, fraud, forgery, and worthless checks. Motor Vehicle Theft, being a special problem, is a separate Crime Index Offense and is not reported in the Larceny-Theft category.

Larceny Offenses cleared by police arrest are dramatically affected by the nature of the crime. As with other Property Crimes, opportunity and stealth, working in favor of the perpetrator and against police detection, reduce solutions for this offense.

As with other Offenses Against Property, Larceny is primarily a crime of opportunity. Types of Larcenies will differ in volume depending upon the opportunity for theft offered in a given area.

The average dollar loss in this category was $388 as compared to 1985, with an average loss of $364, and results in a 7 percent increase. A very small portion of goods stolen are recovered and returned to victims, due to a low clearance rate and lack of specific identification characteristics on such property. In addition, many offenses in this category, particularly where the value of goods stolen is small, never come to police attention.

VOLUME

In 1986, there were 132,899 Offenses of Larceny-Theft reported as compared to 1985 with 126,193 Offenses and a 5 percent increase. Larceny-Theft makes up 53 percent of the Crime Index total and 62 percent of the Property Crime total.

August shows the highest frequency of Larceny Offenses in a monthly analysis, while February shows the lowest. In 1985, July showed the highest frequency while February showed the lowest.

RATE

The Larceny Crime Rate was 2,977.8 per 100,000 inhabitants of Maryland during 1986. In 1985, there were 2,873.2 Larcenies per 100,000 population, resulting in a 4 percent increase in the Larceny Rate.

Nature

Larcenies of Auto Parts and Accessories recorded the highest percentage with 22 percent of the total Larcenies reported in this category. Pocket-Picking had the lowest frequency with a .6 percent of the total. In 1985, Larcenies of Auto Parts and Accessories had the highest frequency with 23 percent of the total, while Pocket-Picking had the lowest frequency with .7 percent.

Clearances

In 1986, law enforcement agencies cleared 18 percent of the total Larceny-Theft Offenses, of which 23 percent of the total clearances involved only juveniles. In 1985, police cleared 18 percent of the total Larceny Offenses with 24 percent of that number involving only juveniles.

Persons Arrested

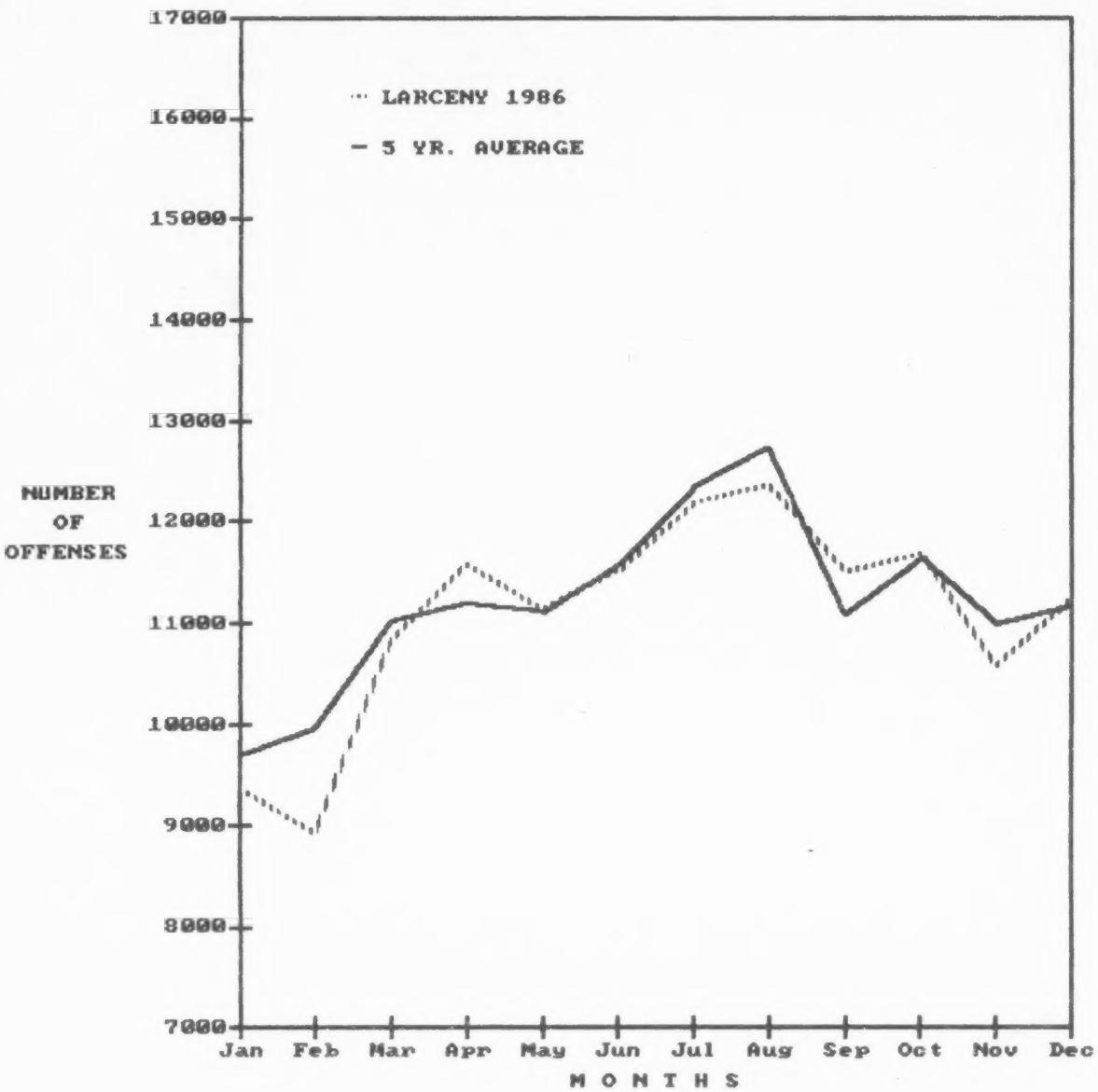
There were 25,421 persons arrested for Larceny in Maryland during 1986. In comparison to 1985, with 24,630 Larceny arrests, there was a 3 percent increase in the number of persons arrested.

31 percent of the total persons arrested for Larceny were under 18 years of age. Females comprised 26 percent of all arrests for Larceny, and had a greater involvement in this offense than in any of the other Crime Index Offenses.

53 percent of all persons arrested for Larceny were black, 46 percent were white, and 1 percent of other races.

LARCENY

VOLUME BY MONTH



LARCENY

5 YEAR TREND

CLASSIFICATION	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
POCKET-PICKING	876	806	896	981	843	853
PURSE SNATCHING	1,984	1,718	1,611	1,774	2,331	2,484
SHOPLIFTING	15,901	17,171	15,783	14,955	15,601	15,997
FROM AUTOS	22,502	24,867	21,944	21,820	21,150	22,728
AUTO PARTS & ACCESSORIES	30,710	29,714	28,354	27,071	30,854	37,559
BICYCLES	7,819	7,442	7,324	7,315	7,533	9,482
FROM BUILDINGS	25,406	26,073	25,938	25,182	24,399	25,440
COIN OPERATED MACHINES	1,876	1,816	2,161	1,704	1,712	1,987
ALL OTHERS	23,538	23,292	22,182	22,823	23,020	26,373
TOTAL	130,612	132,899	126,193	123,625	127,443	142,903

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

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Motor Vehicle Theft is defined as the theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. This definition excludes taking a motor vehicle for temporary use, such as a family situation or unauthorized use by others having lawful access to the vehicle, such as chauffeurs, etc.

The crime of Motor Vehicle Theft has been labeled primarily as a crime of opportunity. The youthful offender finds the motor vehicle easily accessible for transportation for any purpose. The remaining thefts are mainly for the purpose of resale, theft of parts, and for use in committing other crimes.

VOLUME

In 1986, there were 24,331 Motor Vehicle Thefts reported to law enforcement agencies in the state of Maryland. This is a 20 percent increase when compared to the 20,265 Motor Vehicle Thefts reported in 1985. Motor Vehicle Theft makes up 11 percent of the Property Offense category and 10 percent of the Index Offenses.

A monthly analysis for 1986 indicates that more motor vehicles were stolen during December than other months, and February showed the fewest being stolen. During 1985, August had the greatest frequency of Motor Vehicle Thefts and February showed the fewest number being stolen.

5 YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Auto	14,226	19,272	15,468	12,959	11,484	11,948
Truck	2,050	2,299	1,962	2,007	1,922	2,060
Other	2,581	2,760	2,835	2,318	2,282	2,711
Total	18,857	24,331	20,265	17,284	15,688	16,719

RATE

The Motor Vehicle Theft Rate of 545.2 per 100,000 inhabitants is 18 percent higher than the rate of 461.4 per 100,000 inhabitants for 1985.

NATURE

Automobiles accounted for 79 percent of the total number of vehicles stolen. Trucks and buses made up 9 percent and other motor vehicles comprised 11 percent of the total. In comparison, automobiles accounted for 76 percent, trucks and buses 10 percent, and other motor vehicles 14 percent in 1985.

75 percent of the stolen value was recovered. This is a 1 percent decrease when compared to the 76 percent of the stolen value recovered in 1985.

5 YEAR TREND

(Value in Millions)

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Stolen	78	120	94	67	58	52
Recovered	57	91	71	50	40	35

CLEARANCES

In 1986, law enforcement agencies cleared 17 percent of the Motor Vehicle Thefts. This is the same percentage as in 1985.

31 percent of the total clearances for Motor Vehicle Theft involved only juveniles during 1986, compared to 30 percent in 1985.

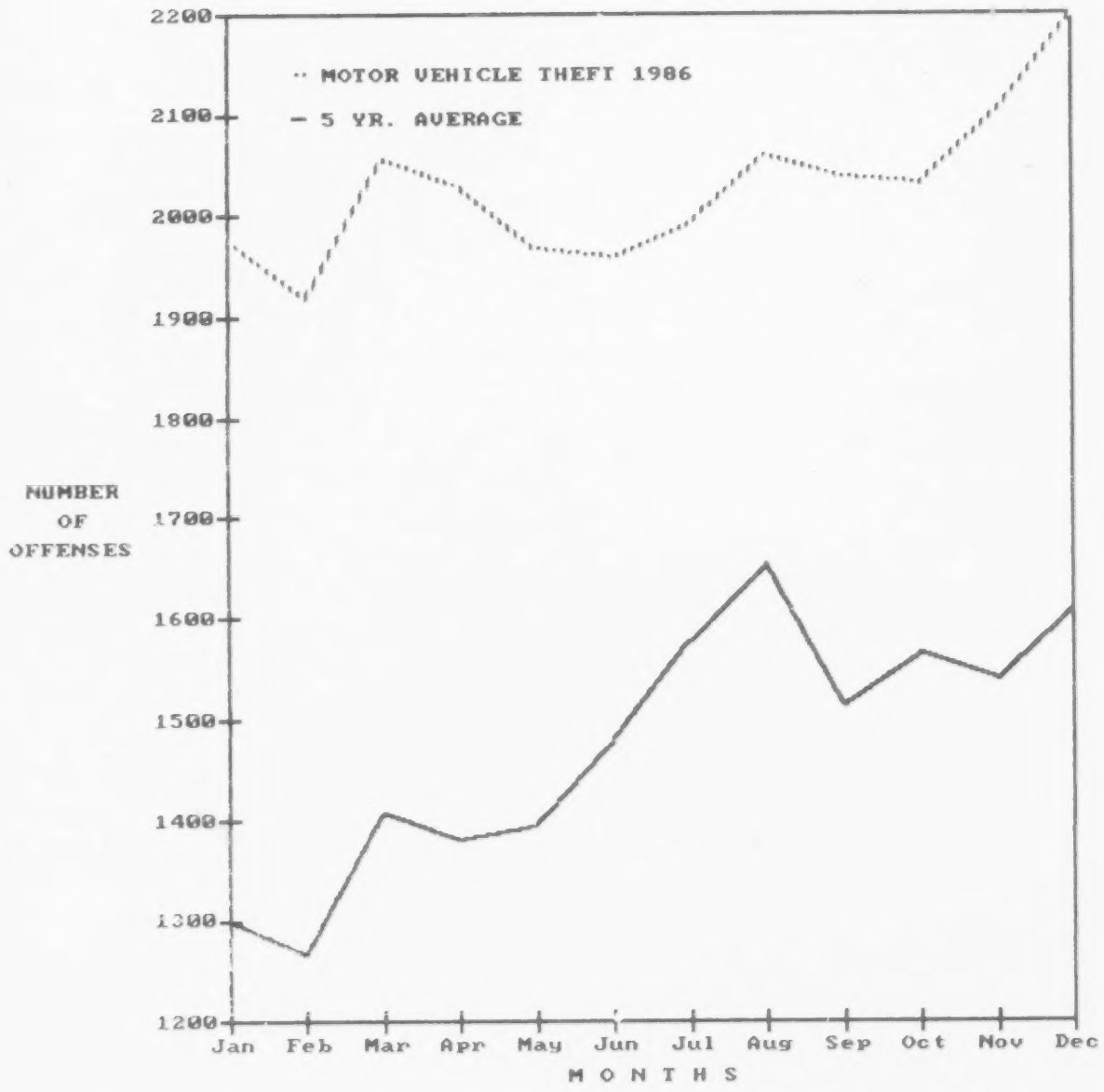
PERSONS ARRESTED

5,269 persons were arrested in Maryland for Motor Vehicle Theft during 1986. This results in a 29 percent increase when compared to the 4,082 arrests in 1985.

Of the total persons arrested for Motor Vehicle Theft, 48 percent were adults and 52 percent juveniles. 31 percent of the total were white, while 69 percent were black. 92 percent of the total persons arrested for Motor Vehicle Theft were males and 8 percent were females.

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

VOLUME BY MONTH



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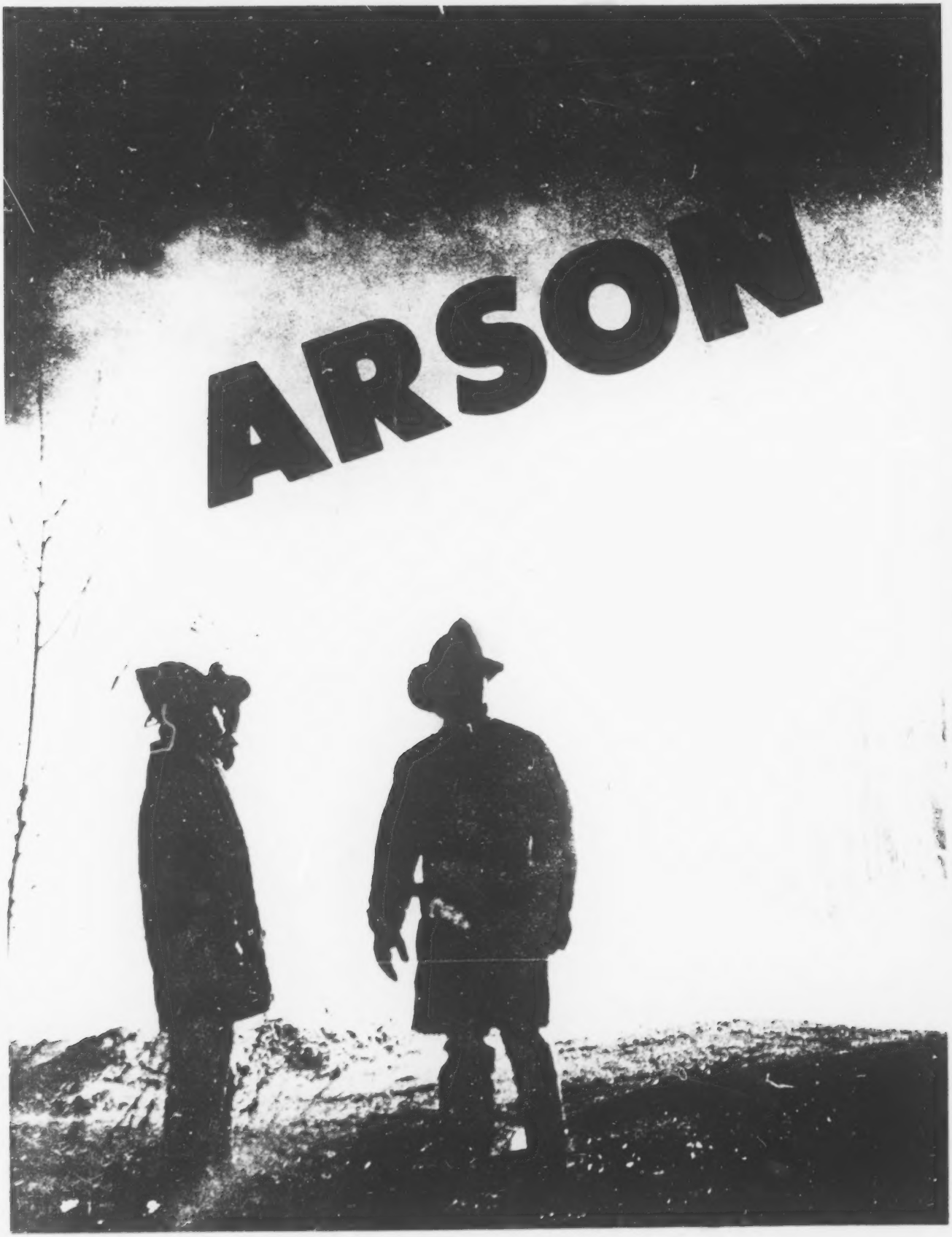


ARSON

Arson is defined as any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc. Only fires determined through investigation to have been willfully or maliciously set are classified as Arsons. Fires of suspicious or unknown origins are excluded.

Arson offenses frequently occur in conjunction with other index crimes; e.g., Breaking or Entering. However, according to UCR procedures in such multiple offense situations, only one crime is selected on the basis of an established hierarchy. For example, if a Breaking or Entering and Arson occurred at the same time and place, only the Breaking or Entering would be reported if the crimes were subjected to the hierarchy rule of reporting index offenses. This assumes that Arson would be listed subordinate to Breaking or Entering in the hierarchy. Arson has been excluded from this hierarchical procedure, and regardless of its occurrence in conjunction with another crime against property or crime against a person, the Arson is reported.

VOLUME

In 1986, there were 3,043 Arsons reported. This is a 3 percent increase when compared to the 2,960 Arsons reported in 1985.

A monthly analysis indicates May had the highest frequency of occurrence, while February had the lowest. In 1985, April showed the highest frequency, while January showed the lowest.

NATURE

The most frequent target of Arsons in 1986 were structures, comprising 52 percent of the total reported incidents. Mobile (motor vehicles, trailers, airplanes, boats, etc.) and other property (crops, timber, fences, signs, etc.) accounted for the remaining offenses with 22 and 27 percent respectively.

Residences comprised 55 percent of the structures at which Arsons were directed. 18 percent of all targeted structural property was uninhabited or abandoned at the time the Arson occurred.

The total monetary value of property damaged, due to reported Arsons during 1986, was over 34 million dollars with an average loss per incident of $11,428.

Clearances

20 percent of all reported Arsons were cleared by arrest or exceptional means in 1986. In 1985, 21 percent of Arsons were cleared.

41 percent of the total clearances for Arson involved only juveniles during 1986, compared to 39 percent in 1985.

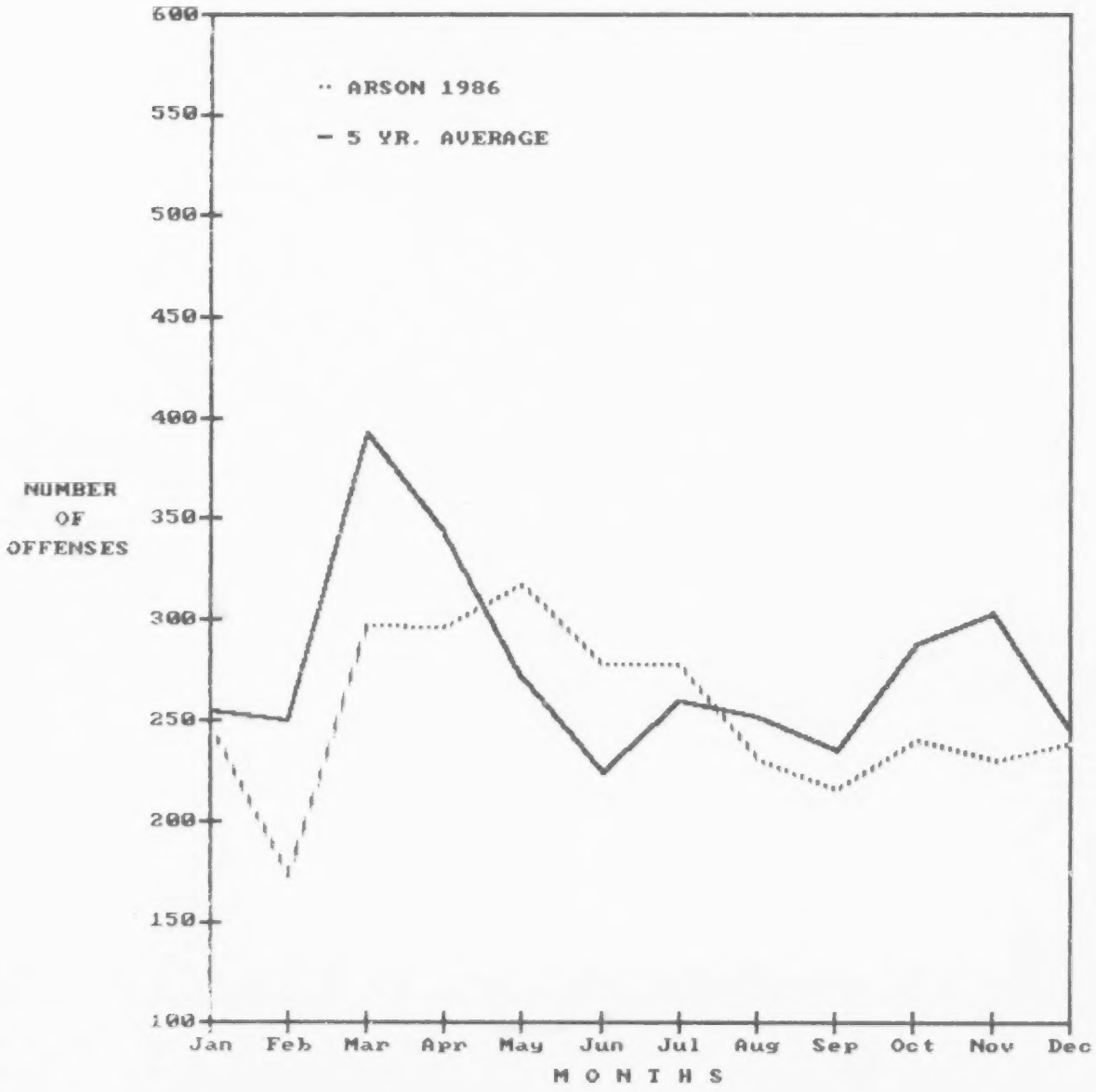
Persons Arrested

In 1986, there were 661 persons arrested in Maryland for Arson. This results in a 23 percent increase when compared to the 536 arrests in 1985.

46 percent of the total number of persons arrested for Arson were adults, while 54 percent were juveniles. 72 percent of the total were white and 28 percent were black. 85 percent of the total were males, while the remaining 15 percent were females.

ARSON

VOLUME BY MONTH



ARSON

DISTRIBUTION BY TYPE OF PROPERTY

CLASSIFICATION	NUMBER OF OFFENSES	PERCENT OF DISTRIB.	AVERAGE VALUES (DOLLARS)	PERCENT CLEARED
TOTAL STRUCTURAL	1,567	51.5%	$ 20,550	28%
Single Occupancy Residential	578	19.0%	12,258	31%
Other Residential	282	9.3%	6,124	28%
Storage	180	5.9%	59,014	19%
Industrial/Manufacturing	16	.5%	216,770	0
Other Commercial	181	5.9%	33,152	19%
Community/Public	243	8.0%	11,264	43%
All Other Structure	87	2.9%	6,822	9%
TOTAL MOBILE	664	21.8%	3,276	11%
Motor Vehicles	593	19.5%	3,010	11%
Other Mobile Property	71	2.3%	5,496	11%
OTHER	812	26.7%	471	13%
TOTAL	3,043	*100.0%	$ 11,428	20%

*Percent distribution may not add to 100% due to rounding.

INDEX OFFENSE DATA

The tables contained within this section were designed to facilitate quick reference of statistical crime information relative to the different reporting areas of the State of Maryland.

The tables are broken down by Regions. Within each Region information is listed in County name sequence and is further detailed to show the activity experienced by individual police agencies. The general identifying descriptions which indicate the reporting areas are listed and defined as follows:

Region Total - This line indicates the total activity of all the Counties within the indicated Region.

County Total - This line indicates the total activity of all reporting Agencies within the indicated County.

Sheriff - This line indicates the total activity reported by Sheriff's Offices. This is to include activity which may have occurred within the corporate limits of towns in that County.

County Police Departments - This line indicates the total activity reported by County Police Departments. This is to include activity which may have occurred within the corporate limits of towns in that County.

State Police - This line indicates the total activity reported by all State Police installations within the indicated reporting area. This is to include activity which may have occurred within the corporate limits of towns in that County.

Municipal Police Departments - This line indicates the total activity reported by the individually specified police department to include only those crimes which were handled by that department.

INDEX OFFENSE DATA (Cont'd)

The five Regions used in the Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program consist of the following:

Region I - Eastern Shore

Caroline County
Cecil County
Dorchester County
Kent County
Queen Anne's County
Somerset County
Talbot County
Wicomico County
Worcester County

Region II - Southern Maryland

Calvert County
Charles County
St. Mary's County

Region III - Western Maryland

Allegany County
Carroll County
Frederick County
Garrett County
Washington County

Region IV - Washington Metropolitan Region

Montgomery County
Prince George's County

Region V - Baltimore Metropolitan Region

Baltimore City
Anne Arundel County
Baltimore County
Harford County
Howard County

The tabulations in this section indicate the volume of Crime in Maryland. The measure used is a Crime Index consisting of seven offenses which are counted as they become known to the law enforcement agencies. Crime classifications used in the Index are: Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Breaking or Entering, Larceny-Theft, and Motor Vehicle Theft*.

*Arson figures included are not computed in the total offenses or crime rates.

INDEX OFFENSE DATA (Cont'd)

Each heading contained in this report is defined below:

Population: The Federal Bureau of Investigation provides estimated populations for the State, Regions, and Counties on a yearly basis.

Total Offenses: This is the sum total of the seven Index Offenses.

Total Cleared: The sum total of the seven Index Offenses cleared.

Percent Cleared: The percentage of Index Offenses cleared by arrest or exceptional means. The mathematical formula may be expressed as follows:

$$\text{Percent Cleared} = \frac{\text{Total Index Offenses Cleared}}{\text{Total Actual Index Offenses Reported}} \times 100$$

Crime Rate: This rate is the number of Index Offenses per 100,000 population. To compute a crime rate, you must divide the population by 100,000 and divide the number of offenses by that answer.

Example: Population for Region X = 312,010

Number of Index Offenses for Region X this year = 13,092

$$\frac{312,010}{100,000} = 3.120$$

$$\frac{13,092}{3.120} = 4,196.2$$

Crime Rate for Region X = 4,196.2

Crime Rates for the individual agencies are not calculated in the following table because of overlapping jurisdiction in many cities of municipal, county and state law enforcement agencies. This table contains the offenses reported by the individual agencies with crime rates for the county and region totals. Arson offenses in this table are listed opposite the agency reporting the arson. In the Municipality Table, the Arsons are listed in the municipality where they occurred.

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		POPULATION	CRIME RATE	TOTAL OFFENS	TOTAL CLRD	PERCT CLRD	MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAV ASSLT	B OR E	LARCNY THEFT	M/V THEFT	ARSON
REGION I	1985	311,328	4,205.6	13,092	3,937	30	20	111	189	1,336	3,297	7,535	604	
	1986	316,406	4,552.5	14,404	4,305	30	24	142	221	1,438	3,739	8,283	557	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+8.2	+10.0	+9.3	+.0	+20.0	+27.9	+16.9	+7.6	+13.4	+9.9	-7.8	
CAROLINE COUNTY	1985	23,832	2,382.4	567	246	43	3	9	5	80	150	287	32	
	1986	24,223	2,797.5	677	315	47	1	13	16	80	222	311	34	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+17.4	+19.4	+28.0	+9.3	-66.7	+44.4	+166.7	+.0	+48.0	+8.4	+6.3	
DENTON PD.	1985			103	56	54	0	2	0	11	11	76	3	
	1986			131	65	50	0	3	1	7	43	70	7	
PERCENT CHANGE				+27.2	+16.1	-7.4	-	+50.0	-	-36.4	+290.9	-7.9	+133.3	
FEDERALSBURG PD.	1985			75	14	19	0	0	1	7	16	49	2	
	1986			109	33	30	1	1	9	11	23	63	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+45.3	+135.7	+57.9	-	-	+800.0	+57.1	+43.8	+28.6	-50.0	
GREENSBORO PD.	1985			18	8	44	0	0	0	0	6	9	3	
	1986			38	15	39	0	1	1	5	10	17	4	
PERCENT CHANGE				+111.1	+87.5	-11.4	-	-	-	-	+66.7	+88.9	+33.3	
PRESTON PD.	1985			2	1	30	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	
	1986			15	11	73	0	0	0	1	3	8	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				+650.0	+.0	+46.0	-	-	-	-	+200.0	-	+200.0	

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RIDGELY PD.	1985			28	5	18	0	0	0	3	6	18	1	
	1986			38	20	53	0	1	0	1	19	16	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+35.7	+300.0	+194.4	-	-	-	-66.7	+216.7	-11.1	+.0	
GOLDSBORO PD.	1985			1	1	100	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
	1986			1	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-	-	
CAROLINE CO. SHERIFF	1985			113	53	47	0	0	3	10	40	57	3	
	1986			144	79	55	0	1	1	14	61	59	8	
PERCENT CHANGE				+27.4	+49.1	+17.0	-	-	-66.7	+40.0	+52.5	+3.5	+166.7	
CAROLINE COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			227	108	48	3	7	2	49	69	78	19	
	1986			201	91	45	0	6	4	41	63	77	10	
PERCENT CHANGE				-11.5	-15.7	-6.3	-100.0	-14.3	+100.0	-16.3	-8.7	-1.3	-47.4	
*CECIL COUNTY	1985	66,143	3,175.5	2,099	659	31	3	30	22	285	513	1,070	176	
	1986	67,238	3,224.7	2,167	564	26	0	22	15	298	543	1,160	129	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.7	+1.5	+3.2	-14.4	-16.1	-100.0	-26.7	-31.8	+4.6	+5.8	+8.4	-26.7	
CHESAPEAKE CITY PD.	1985			7	3	43	0	0	0	1	1	5	0	
	1986			11	2	18	0	0	0	1	1	9	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+57.1	-33.3	-58.1	-	-	-	+.0	+.0	+80.0	-	

*UCR allows prior year corrections. In 1986, Cecil County had one homicide. During 1986, a prior year's homicide was unfounded, resulting in zero homicides being shown for 1986.

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ELKTON PD.	1985			535	151	28	0	4	5	41	82	360	43	
	1986			551	130	24	0	4	7	28	93	393	26	
PERCENT CHANGE				+3.0	-13.9	-14.3	-	+.0	+40.0	-31.7	+13.4	+9.2	-39.5	
NORTH EAST PD.	1985			95	43	45	0	0	1	8	12	48	6	
	1986			74	27	36	0	0	1	8	7	52	6	
PERCENT CHANGE				-22.1	-37.2	-20.0	-	-	+.0	+.0	-41.7	-23.5	+.0	
PORT DEPOSIT PD.	1985			16	5	31	0	0	0	0	4	11	1	
	1986			18	1	6	0	0	0	0	5	13	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+12.5	-80.0	-80.6	-	-	-	-	+25.0	+18.2	-100.0	
RISING SUN PD.	1985			44	11	25	0	0	0	1	13	28	2	
	1986			33	8	24	0	0	1	1	9	19	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				-25.0	-27.3	-4.0	-	-	-	+.0	-30.8	-32.1	+50.0	
CECIL CO. SHERIFF	1985			297	56	19	0	4	2	32	83	161	15	
	1986			349	64	18	0	0	1	39	91	209	9	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.5	+14.3	-5.3	-	-100.0	-50.0	+21.9	+9.6	+29.8	-40.0	
CECIL COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			1,105	390	35	3	22	14	202	318	437	109	
	1986			1,131	332	29	0	18	5	221	337	465	85	
PERCENT CHANGE				+2.4	-14.9	-17.1	-100.0	-18.2	-64.3	+9.4	+6.0	+6.4	-22.0	

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DORCHESTER CNTY	1985	30,194	4,109.3	1,241	493	40	2	6	29	132	258	784	30	
	1986	30,693	4,332.2	1,330	464	35	2	13	30	133	342	766	44	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.7	+5.4	+7.2	-5.9	-12.5	+.0	+116.7	+3.4	+.8	+32.6	-2.3	+46.7	
CAMBRIDGE PD.	1985			976	333	34	1	2	28	89	183	654	19	
	1986			978	317	32	2	3	27	81	235	609	21	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.2	-4.8	-5.9	+100.0	+50.0	-3.6	-9.0	+28.4	-6.9	+10.5	
HURLOCK PD.	1985			35	12	34	0	0	0	5	11	17	2	
	1986			64	31	48	0	0	0	4	9	46	5	
PERCENT CHANGE				+82.9	+158.3	+41.2	-	-	-	-20.0	-18.2	+170.6	+150.0	
DORCHESTER CO. SHERIFF	1985			132	81	61	0	0	1	2	39	87	3	
	1986			143	49	34	0	5	1	6	56	71	4	
PERCENT CHANGE				+8.3	-39.5	-44.3	-	-	+.0	+200.0	+43.6	-18.4	+33.3	
DORCHESTER COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			98	67	68	1	4	0	36	25	26	6	
	1986			145	67	46	0	5	2	42	42	40	14	
PERCENT CHANGE				+48.0	+.0	-32.4	-100.0	+25.0	-	+16.7	+68.0	+53.8	+133.3	
KENT COUNTY	1985	16,864	3,177.5	537	213	40	0	4	4	58	127	322	22	
	1986	17,127	3,134.5	536	165	31	1	10	3	44	168	292	18	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	-1.4	-.2	-22.5	-22.5	-	+150.0	-25.0	-24.1	+32.3	-9.3	-18.2	

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CHESTERTOWN PD.	1985			175	66	38	0	0	3	31	25	109	7	
	1986			163	40	25	0	2	2	13	41	103	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				-6.9	-39.4	-34.2	-	-	-33.3	-58.1	+64.0	-5.5	-71.4	
ROCK HALL PD.	1985			97	59	61	0	2	0	8	26	53	8	
	1986			75	39	52	0	0	0	4	27	40	4	
PERCENT CHANGE				-22.7	-33.9	-14.8	-	-100.0	-	-50.0	+3.8	-24.5	-50.0	
KENT CO. SHERIFF	1985			161	60	37	0	1	1	4	47	106	2	
	1986			142	46	32	1	5	1	4	42	89	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-11.8	-23.3	-13.5	-	+400.0	+.0	+.0	-10.6	-16.0	-100.0	
KENT COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			104	28	27	0	1	0	15	29	54	5	
	1986			156	46	26	0	3	0	23	58	60	12	
PERCENT CHANGE				+50.0	+42.9	-3.7	-	+200.0	-	+53.3	+100.0	+11.1	+140.0	
QUEEN ANNES CNTY	1985	27,972	2,960.7	829	274	33	1	10	5	117	198	458	40	
	1986	28,420	2,609.2	741	169	23	2	17	11	88	190	405	28	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	-11.9	-10.6	-38.3	-30.3	+100.0	+70.0	+120.0	-24.8	-4.0	-11.6	-30.0	
CENTREVILLE PD.	1985			96	22	23	0	0	0	6	30	56	4	
	1986			63	12	19	0	0	0	7	15	39	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				-34.4	-45.5	-17.4	-	-	-	+16.7	-50.0	-30.4	-50.0	

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QUEEN ANNE COUNTY SHERIFF	1985			84	29	35	0	1	0	4	16	62	1	
	1986			66	16	24	0	1	0	5	18	41	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-21.4	-44.8	-31.4	-	+.0	-	+25.0	+12.5	-33.9	+.0	
QUEEN ANNES COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			649	223	34	1	9	5	107	152	340	35	
	1986			612	141	23	2	16	11	76	157	325	25	
PERCENT CHANGE				-5.7	-36.8	-32.4	+100.0	+77.8	+120.0	-29.0	+3.3	-4.4	-28.6	
SOMERSET COUNTY	1985	18,884	3,010.6	569	173	30	0	8	4	83	208	246	20	
	1986	19,147	3,392.7	648	184	28	3	9	9	89	211	302	25	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.4	+12.7	+13.9	+6.4	-6.7	-	+12.5	+125.0	+7.2	+1.4	+22.8	+25.0	
CRISFIELD PD.	1985			111	26	23	0	1	0	9	35	65	1	
	1986			112	20	18	0	0	2	4	28	75	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.9	-23.1	-21.7	-	-100.0	-	-55.6	-20.0	+15.4	+200.0	
PRINCESS ANNE PD.	1985			65	21	32	0	0	0	3	18	41	3	
	1986			106	44	42	0	5	2	7	21	64	7	
PERCENT CHANGE				+63.1	+109.5	+31.3	-	-	-	+133.3	+16.7	+56.1	+133.3	
UNIV. OF MD EASTERN SHORE	1985			44	12	27	0	0	0	1	4	38	1	(2)
	1986			77	15	19	0	0	0	9	4	64	0	(0)
PERCENT CHANGE				+75.0	+25.0	-29.6	-	-	-	+800.0	+.0	+68.4	-100.0	(-100.0)

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SOMERSET CO. SHERIFF	1985			12	12	100	0	0	0	1	0	9	2	
	1986			8	8	100	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-33.3	-33.3	+.0	-	-	-	-100.0	-	-22.2	-100.0	
SOMERSET COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			337	102	30	0	7	4	69	151	93	13	
	1986			345	97	28	3	4	5	69	157	92	15	
PERCENT CHANGE				+2.4	-4.9	-6.7	-	-42.9	+25.0	+.0	+4.0	-1.1	+15.4	
TALBOT COUNTY	1985	27,063	3,414.8	922	259	28	3	7	15	96	256	509	36	
	1986	27,524	3,865.5	1,063	269	25	0	7	14	80	273	648	41	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.7	+13.2	+15.3	+3.9	-10.7	-100.0	+.0	-6.7	-16.7	+6.6	+27.3	+13.9	
EASTON PD.	1985			533	117	22	1	2	10	42	165	295	18	
	1986			626	136	22	0	3	10	50	141	400	22	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.4	+16.2	+.0	-100.0	+50.0	+.0	+19.0	-14.5	+35.6	+22.2	
OXFORD PD.	1985			11	6	55	0	0	0	3	3	5	0	
	1986			13	4	31	0	0	0	0	2	11	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+18.2	-33.3	-43.6	-	-	-	-100.0	-33.3	+120.0	-	
ST. MICHAELS PD.	1985			91	38	42	1	0	0	8	20	58	4	
	1986			109	37	34	0	1	0	8	19	79	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				+19.8	-2.6	-19.0	-100.0	-	-	+.0	-5.0	+36.2	-50.0	

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TALBOT CO. SHERIFF	1985			10	2	20	0	0	2	1	2	4	1	
	1986			17	16	94	0	0	0	1	1	15	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+70.0	+700.0	+370.0	-	-	-100.0	+.0	-50.0	+275.0	-100.0	
TALBOT COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			277	96	35	1	5	3	42	66	147	13	
	1986			298	76	26	0	3	4	21	110	143	17	
PERCENT CHANGE				+7.6	-20.8	-25.7	-100.0	-40.0	+33.3	-50.0	+66.7	-2.7	+30.8	
WICOMICO COUNTY	1985	66,648	4,879.9	3,250	892	27	5	19	71	298	906	1,818	133	
	1986	67,740	5,494.8	3,720	1,304	35	10	29	89	435	972	2,055	130	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+12.6	+14.5	+46.2	+29.6	+100.0	+52.6	+25.4	+46.0	+7.3	+13.0	-2.3	
DELMAR PD.	1985			62	16	26	0	1	0	11	11	36	3	
	1986			64	21	33	0	1	0	6	15	40	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				+3.2	+31.3	+26.9	-	+.0	-	-45.5	+36.4	+11.1	-33.3	
FRUITLAND PD.	1985			155	43	28	1	0	1	12	32	104	5	
	1986			187	95	51	1	1	4	7	33	134	7	
PERCENT CHANGE				+20.6	+120.9	+82.1	+.0	-	+300.0	-41.7	+3.1	+28.8	+40.0	
SALISBURY PD.	1985			1,813	503	28	2	9	51	82	524	1,076	69	
	1986			2,026	729	36	4	9	65	210	494	1,182	62	
PERCENT CHANGE				+11.7	+44.9	+28.6	+100.0	+.0	+27.5	+156.1	-5.7	+9.9	-10.1	

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SALISBURY STATE COLLEGE	1985			187	15	8	0	0	0	0	8	172	7	(2)
	1986			193	29	15	0	0	0	0	5	186	2	(3)
PERCENT CHANGE				+3.2	+93.3	+87.5	-	-	-	-	-37.5	+8.1	-71.4	(+50.0)
WICOMICO CO. SHERIFF	1985			147	115	78	0	1	4	50	26	63	3	
	1986			385	216	56	0	0	4	79	128	161	13	
PERCENT CHANGE				+161.9	+87.8	-28.2	-	-100.0	+.0	+58.0	+392.3	+155.6	+333.3	
WICOMICO COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			886	200	23	2	8	15	143	305	367	46	
	1986			865	214	25	5	18	16	133	297	352	44	
PERCENT CHANGE				-2.4	+7.0	+8.7	+150.0	+125.0	+6.7	-7.0	-2.6	-4.1	-4.3	
WORCESTER COUNTY	1985	33,728	9,133.5	3,078	728	24	3	18	33	187	681	2,041	115	
	1986	34,294	10,268.2	3,522	871	25	5	22	34	191	818	2,344	108	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.7	+12.4	+14.4	+19.6	+4.2	+66.7	+22.2	+3.0	+2.1	+20.1	+14.8	-6.1	
BERLIN PD.	1985			107	59	55	0	1	0	5	27	74	0	
	1986			104	43	41	0	3	3	0	33	62	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				-2.8	-27.1	-25.5	-	+200.0	-	-100.0	+22.2	-16.2	-	
OCEAN CITY PD.	1985			2,164	376	17	0	5	25	96	457	1,497	84	
	1986			2,516	542	22	1	8	22	99	497	1,824	65	
PERCENT CHANGE				+16.3	+44.1	+29.4	-	+60.0	-12.0	+3.1	+8.8	+21.8	-22.6	

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POCOMOKE CITY PD.	1985			214	98	46	0	1	2	10	23	175	3	
	1986			212	80	38	0	3	2	7	19	180	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-.9	-18.4	-17.4	-	+200.0	+.0	-30.0	-17.4	+2.9	-66.7	
SNOW HILL PD.	1985			5	3	60	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	
	1986			3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-40.0	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-	-100.0	-	+.0	-	
OCEAN PINES PD.	1985			129	18	14	0	0	0	3	64	56	6	
	1986			136	15	11	0	1	0	4	76	54	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+5.4	-16.7	-21.4	-	-	-	+33.3	+18.8	-3.6	-83.3	
WORCHESTER CO. SHERIFF	1985			122	83	68	0	3	0	35	17	67	0	
	1986			133	89	67	0	1	0	32	33	62	5	
PERCENT CHANGE				+9.0	+7.2	-1.5	-	-66.7	-	-8.6	+94.1	-7.5	-	
WORCESTER COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			337	91	27	3	8	6	36	93	169	22	
	1986			418	102	24	4	6	7	49	160	159	33	
PERCENT CHANGE				+24.0	+12.1	-11.1	+33.3	-25.0	+16.7	+36.1	+72.0	-5.9	+50.0	
REGION II	1985	186,412	3,239.3	6,038	1,762	29	6	50	88	743	1,450	3,409	292	
	1986	189,371	3,389.1	6,419	2,004	31	3	55	76	768	1,554	3,575	388	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+4.6	+6.3	+13.7	+6.9	-50.0	+10.0	-13.6	+3.4	+7.2	+4.9	+32.9	

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CALVERT COUNTY	1985	39,686	2,949.6	1,171	481	41	2	11	10	161	355	584	46	
	1986	40,299	2,910.7	1,173	458	39	1	13	4	212	328	549	66	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.5	-1.3	+.2	-4.8	-4.9	-50.0	+18.2	-60.0	+31.7	-7.6	-6.3	+43.5	
NORTH BEACH PD.	1985			76	21	28	0	0	1	11	24	39	1	
	1986			53	9	17	0	0	0	7	23	22	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-30.3	-57.1	-39.3	-	-	-100.0	-36.4	-4.2	-43.6	+.0	
CALVERT CO. SHERIFF	1985			282	119	42	1	0	2	3	85	181	10	
	1986			302	87	29	0	1	0	29	67	186	19	
PERCENT CHANGE				+7.1	-26.9	-31.0	-100.0	-	-100.0	+866.7	-21.2	+2.8	+90.0	
CALVERT COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			813	341	42	1	11	7	147	246	366	35	
	1986			818	362	44	1	12	4	176	238	341	46	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.6	+6.2	+4.8	+.0	+9.1	-42.9	+19.7	-3.3	-6.8	+31.4	
CHARLES COUNTY	1985	82,603	3,617.4	2,988	857	29	3	29	54	270	643	1,794	195	
	1986	83,937	3,955.9	3,319	970	29	2	21	54	306	727	1,964	245	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+9.4	+11.1	+13.2	+.0	-33.3	-27.6	+.0	+13.3	+13.1	+9.5	+25.6	
LA PLATA PD.	1985			15	2	13	0	0	0	0	11	4	0	
	1986			6	2	33	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-60.0	+.0	+153.8	-	-	-	-	-90.9	+25.0	-	

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CHARLES CO. SHERIFF	1985			2,365	594	25	2	22	38	197	523	1,441	142	
	1986			2,747	708	26	2	14	43	228	627	1,662	171	
PERCENT CHANGE				+16.2	+19.2	+4.0	+.0	-36.4	+13.2	+15.7	+19.9	+15.3	+20.4	
CHARLES COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			608	261	43	1	7	16	73	109	349	53	
	1986			566	260	46	0	7	11	78	99	297	74	
PERCENT CHANGE				-6.9	-.4	+7.0	-100.0	+.0	-31.3	+6.8	-9.2	-14.9	+39.6	
ST. MARYS COUNTY	1985	64,123	2,931.4	1,879	424	23	1	10	24	312	452	1,029	51	
	1986	65,135	2,960.1	1,927	576	30	0	21	18	250	499	1,062	77	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+1.0	+2.6	+35.8	+30.4	-100.0	+110.0	-25.0	-19.9	+10.4	+3.2	+51.0	
ST. MARY'S COLLEGE P.D.	1985			64	3	5	0	0	0	1	20	43	0	
	1986			51	0	0	0	1	0	1	11	36	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				-20.3	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-	+.0	-45.0	-16.3	-	
ST. MARYS CO. SHERIFF	1985			1,349	289	21	1	5	15	232	303	764	29	(1)
	1986			1,414	394	28	0	15	14	185	359	796	45	(3)
PERCENT CHANGE				+4.8	+36.3	+33.3	-100.0	+200.0	-6.7	-20.3	+18.5	+4.2	+55.2	(+200.0)
ST. MARYS COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			466	132	28	0	5	9	79	129	222	22	
	1986			462	182	39	0	5	4	64	129	230	30	
PERCENT CHANGE				-.9	+37.9	+39.3	-	+.0	-55.6	-19.0	+.0	+3.6	+36.4	

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REGION III	1985	448,965	2,506.4	11,254	3,264	29	5	77	200	981	2,726	6,761	504	
	1986	456,176	2,669.4	12,178	3,611	30	10	94	172	1,238	2,903	7,178	583	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+6.5	+8.2	+10.6	+3.4	+100.0	+22.1	-14.0	+26.2	+6.5	+6.2	+15.7	
ALLEGANY COUNTY	1985	77,655	2,310.2	1,795	525	29	0	7	12	70	396	1,249	61	
	1986	78,947	2,542.5	2,006	620	31	1	11	12	97	432	1,393	60	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.7	+10.1	+11.8	+18.1	+6.9	-	+57.1	+.0	+38.6	+9.1	+11.5	-1.6	
CUMBERLAND PD.	1985			934	196	21	0	2	7	12	174	717	22	
	1986			1,063	261	25	0	1	7	26	213	786	30	
PERCENT CHANGE				+13.8	+33.2	+19.0	-	-50.0	+.0	+116.7	+22.4	+9.6	+36.4	
FROSTBURG PD.	1985			114	41	36	0	0	1	5	22	79	7	
	1986			118	30	25	0	0	3	2	21	91	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+3.5	-26.8	-30.6	-	-	+200.0	-60.0	-4.5	+15.2	-85.7	
LONACONING PD.	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
LUKE PD.	1985			2	1	50	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	
	1986			2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-	+.0	+.0	-	-	

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WESTERNPORT PD.	1985			42	17	40	0	1	0	6	22	12	1	
	1986			36	16	44	0	0	0	2	13	20	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-14.3	-5.9	+10.0	-	-100.0	-	-66.7	-40.9	+66.7	+.0	
FROSTBURG STATE COLLEGE PD.	1985			99	25	25	0	1	0	3	18	75	2	(0)
	1986			128	40	31	0	1	0	8	16	103	0	(3)
PERCENT CHANGE				+29.3	+60.0	+24.0	-	+.0	-	+166.7	-11.1	+37.3	-100.0	(-)
ALLEGANY CO. STATE ATT OFFICE	1985			3	2	67	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	
	1986			1	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-66.7	-50.0	+49.3	-	-	-	-	-	-66.7	-	
ALLEGANY CO. SHERIFF	1985			58	10	17	0	0	0	3	8	45	2	
	1986			39	11	28	0	0	0	1	7	30	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-32.8	+10.0	+64.7	-	-	-	-66.7	-12.5	-33.3	-50.0	
ALLEGANY COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			543	233	43	0	3	4	40	151	318	27	
	1986			619	261	42	1	9	2	57	161	362	27	
PERCENT CHANGE				+14.0	+12.0	-2.3	-	+200.0	-50.0	+42.5	+6.6	+13.8	+.0	
CARROLL COUNTY	1985	105,829	1,983.0	2,098	727	35	0	28	18	206	453	1,308	85	
	1986	107,514	2,426.0	2,608	952	33	0	25	35	272	640	1,510	126	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+22.3	+24.3	+17.2	-5.7	-	-10.7	+94.4	+32.0	+41.3	+15.4	+48.2	

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HAMPSTEAD PD.	1985			30	15	50	0	1	0	1	2	24	2	
	1986			29	8	28	0	0	0	0	5	24	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-3.3	-46.7	-44.0	-	-100.0	-	-100.0	+150.0	+.0	-100.0	
MANCHESTER PD.	1985			36	13	36	0	0	0	3	7	26	0	
	1986			36	8	22	0	0	0	0	9	26	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	-38.5	-38.9	-	-	-	-100.0	+28.6	+.0	-	
NEW WINDSOR PD.	1985			10	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	
	1986			7	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-30.0	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-60.0	-	
SYKESVILLE PD.	1985			46	20	43	0	0	0	9	6	31	0	
	1986			71	23	32	0	0	1	8	21	41	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+54.3	+15.0	-25.6	-	-	-	-11.1	+250.0	+32.3	-	
TANEYTOWN PD.	1985			50	18	36	0	1	1	7	8	32	1	
	1986			70	25	36	0	0	0	9	10	47	4	
PERCENT CHANGE				+40.0	+38.9	+.0	-	-100.0	-100.0	+28.6	+25.0	+46.9	+300.0	
WESTMINSTER PD.	1985			418	241	58	0	3	7	22	57	320	9	
	1986			553	318	58	0	5	9	24	153	344	18	
PERCENT CHANGE				+32.3	+32.0	+.0	-	+66.7	+28.6	+9.1	+168.4	+7.5	+100.0	

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CARROLL CO. SHERIFF	1985			19	6	32	0	0	0	0	4	15	0	
	1986			24	10	42	0	0	0	2	4	17	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+26.3	+66.7	+31.3	-	-	-	-	+.0	+13.3	-	
CARROLL COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			1,489	413	28	0	23	10	164	369	850	73	
	1986			1,818	460	25	0	20	25	228	436	1,007	102	
PERCENT CHANGE				+22.1	+11.4	-10.7	-	-13.0	+150.0	+39.0	+18.2	+18.5	+39.7	
FREDERICK COUNTY	1985	125,217	3,156.6	3,952	1,107	28	3	23	83	509	915	2,240	179	
	1986	127,271	3,069.9	3,908	1,104	28	2	29	64	570	817	2,227	199	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	-2.7	-1.1	-.3	+.0	-33.3	+26.1	-22.9	+12.0	-10.7	-.6	+11.2	
BRUNSWICK PD.	1985			79	22	28	0	0	0	6	32	36	5	
	1986			93	26	28	0	1	0	10	20	54	8	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.7	+18.2	+.0	-	-	-	+66.7	-37.5	+50.0	+60.0	
EMMITSBURG PD.	1985			35	16	46	0	0	0	3	4	28	0	
	1986			1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-97.1	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-	-100.0	-100.0	-96.4	-	
FREDERICK PD.	1985			2,275	662	29	1	8	62	349	465	1,300	90	
	1986			2,319	681	29	1	9	52	404	405	1,336	112	
PERCENT CHANGE				+1.9	+2.9	+.0	+.0	+12.5	-16.1	+15.8	-12.9	+2.8	+24.4	

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THURMONT PD.	1985			45	8	18	0	0	0	6	16	22	1	
	1986			57	25	44	0	0	1	5	10	39	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				+26.7	+212.5	+144.4	-	-	-	-16.7	-37.5	+77.3	+100.0	
FREDERICK CO. SHERIFF	1985			304	49	16	0	2	3	6	88	194	11	
	1986			247	21	9	0	3	2	3	72	155	12	
PERCENT CHANGE				-18.8	-57.1	-43.8	-	+50.0	-33.3	-50.0	-18.2	-20.1	+9.1	
FREDERICK COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			1,214	350	29	2	13	18	139	310	660	72	
	1986			1,191	351	29	1	16	9	148	310	642	65	
PERCENT CHANGE				-1.9	+.3	+.0	-50.0	+23.1	-50.0	+6.5	+.0	-2.7	-9.7	
GARRETT COUNTY	1985	27,164	1,819.9	495	136	27	2	4	2	30	197	236	24	
	1986	27,553	2,231.9	616	194	31	1	11	2	85	226	260	31	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.4	+22.6	+24.4	+42.6	+14.8	-50.0	+175.0	+.0	+183.3	+14.7	+10.2	+29.2	
OAKLAND PD.	1985			55	10	18	0	0	0	1	29	23	2	
	1986			61	18	30	0	0	0	2	18	35	6	
PERCENT CHANGE				+10.9	+80.0	+66.7	-	-	-	+100.0	-37.9	+52.2	+200.0	
GARRETT CO. SHERIFF	1985			220	65	30	0	2	2	17	79	117	3	
	1986			258	85	33	1	2	0	43	95	106	11	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.3	+30.8	+10.0	-	+.0	-100.0	+152.9	+20.3	-9.4	+266.7	

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GARRETT COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			220	61	28	2	2	0	12	89	96	19	
	1986			297	91	31	0	9	2	40	113	119	14	
PERCENT CHANGE				+35.0	+49.2	+10.7	-100.0	+350.0	-	+233.3	+27.0	+24.0	-26.3	
WASHINGTON CNTY	1985	113,100	2,576.5	2,914	769	26	0	15	85	166	765	1,728	155	
	1986	114,891	2,645.8	3,040	841	28	6	18	59	214	788	1,788	167	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+2.7	+4.3	+9.4	+7.7	-	+20.0	-30.6	+28.9	+3.0	+3.5	+7.7	
HAGERSTOWN PD.	1985			1,782	552	31	0	7	71	84	419	1,108	93	
	1986			1,790	573	32	1	8	43	91	459	1,099	89	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.4	+3.8	+3.2	-	+14.3	-39.4	+8.3	+9.5	-.8	-4.3	
HANCOCK PD.	1985			50	13	26	0	0	0	2	8	39	1	
	1986			36	13	36	0	0	0	5	7	21	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				-28.0	+.0	+38.5	-	-	-	+150.0	-12.5	-46.2	+200.0	
SMITHSBURG PD.	1985			3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	
	1986			6	1	17	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+100.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	+.0	-	
WASHINGTON CO. SHERIFF	1985			483	71	15	0	4	10	11	144	285	29	
	1986			601	124	21	2	6	7	37	154	362	33	
PERCENT CHANGE				+24.4	+74.6	+40.0	-	+50.0	-30.0	+236.4	+6.9	+27.0	+13.8	

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WASHINGTON COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			596	133	22	0	4	4	69	194	293	32	
	1986			607	130	21	3	4	9	81	165	303	42	
PERCENT CHANGE				+1.8	-2.3	-4.5	-	+.0	+125.0	+17.4	-14.9	+3.4	+31.3	
REGION IV	1985	1,312,359	5,260.3	69,036	12,337	18	59	493	3,295	3,836	15,586	37,861	7,906	
	1986	1,333,596	5,435.7	72,490	12,971	18	60	574	3,136	4,229	15,038	39,838	9,615	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+3.3	+5.0	+5.1	+.0	+1.7	+16.4	-4.8	+10.2	-3.5	+5.2	+21.6	
MONTGOMERY CNTY	1985	630,126	4,155.2	26,182	5,020	19	12	127	728	892	5,430	17,007	1,986	
	1986	640,356	4,232.5	27,105	5,244	19	8	145	695	900	5,010	18,056	2,291	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+1.9	+3.5	+4.5	+.0	-33.3	+14.2	-4.5	+.9	-7.7	+6.2	+15.4	
MD. PARK POLICE SECTION	1985			168	25	15	0	3	5	4	21	128	7	
	1986			150	23	15	0	0	8	5	26	106	5	
PERCENT CHANGE				-10.7	-8.0	+.0	-	-100.0	+60.0	+25.0	+23.8	-17.2	-28.6	
MONTGOMERY CO. PD.	1985			24,877	4,809	19	12	114	675	844	5,155	16,177	1,900	(634)
	1986			25,839	5,060	20	8	139	648	834	4,720	17,282	2,208	(546)
PERCENT CHANGE				+3.9	+5.2	+5.3	-33.3	+21.9	-4.0	-1.2	-8.4	+6.8	+16.2	(-13.9)
ROCKVILLE PD.	1985			547	67	12	0	1	6	4	105	411	20	
	1986			476	61	13	0	0	7	2	88	350	29	
PERCENT CHANGE				-13.0	-9.0	+8.3	-	-100.0	+16.7	-50.0	-16.2	-14.8	+45.0	

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TAKOMA PARK PD.	1985			531	101	19	0	8	42	29	146	262	44	
	1986			593	84	14	0	5	32	51	176	291	38	
PERCENT CHANGE				+11.7	-16.8	-26.3	-	-37.5	-23.8	+75.9	+20.5	+11.1	-13.6	
MONTGOMERY CO. SHERIFF	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			3	3	100	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
MONTGOMERY COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			59	18	31	0	1	0	11	3	29	15	
	1986			44	13	30	0	1	0	5	0	27	11	
PERCENT CHANGE				-25.4	-27.8	-3.2	-	+.0	-	-54.5	-100.0	-6.9	-26.7	
PR GEORGES CNTY	1985	682,233	6,281.7	42,854	7,317	17	47	366	2,567	2,944	10,156	20,954	5,920	
	1986	693,240	6,547.2	45,385	7,727	17	52	429	2,441	3,329	10,028	21,782	7,324	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+4.2	+5.9	+5.6	+.0	+10.6	+17.2	-4.9	+13.1	-1.3	+4.4	+23.7	
BERWYN HEIGHTS PD.	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			3	2	67	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BLADENSBURG MD.	1985			722	154	21	1	3	70	39	139	352	118	
	1986			698	139	20	0	4	46	32	112	374	130	
PERCENT CHANGE				-3.3	-9.7	-4.8	-100.0	+33.3	-34.3	-17.9	-19.4	+6.3	+10.2	

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CAPITOL HEIGHTS PD.	1985			16	2	13	0	0	0	1	10	5	0	
	1986			18	1	6	0	0	2	0	5	10	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+12.5	-50.0	-53.8	-	-	-	-100.0	-50.0	+100.0	-	
CHEVERLY PD.	1985			232	24	10	0	0	23	8	103	74	24	
	1986			208	19	9	0	2	13	10	71	81	31	
PERCENT CHANGE				-10.3	-20.8	-10.0	-	-	-43.5	+25.0	-31.1	+9.5	+29.2	
COLMAR MANOR PD.	1985			38	6	16	0	0	3	4	15	14	2	
	1986			24	9	38	0	0	1	5	7	11	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-36.8	+50.0	+137.5	-	-	-66.7	+25.0	-53.3	-21.4	-100.0	
COTTAGE CITY PD.	1985			81	12	15	0	0	4	7	18	49	3	
	1986			97	32	33	0	0	7	1	17	63	9	
PERCENT CHANGE				+19.8	+166.7	+120.0	-	-	+75.0	-85.7	-5.6	+28.6	+200.0	
DISTRICT HEIGHTS PD.	1985			248	37	15	0	0	12	34	106	73	23	
	1986			243	33	14	0	1	10	24	85	101	22	
PERCENT CHANGE				-2.0	-10.8	-6.7	-	-	-16.7	-29.4	-19.8	+38.4	-4.3	
EDMONSTON PD.	1985			72	8	11	0	0	0	3	21	46	2	
	1986			53	1	2	1	0	0	1	16	33	2	
PERCENT CHANGE				-26.4	-87.5	-81.8	-	-	-	-66.7	-23.8	-28.3	+.0	

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FAIRMOUNT HEIGHTS	1985			20	3	15	0	0	2	5	4	6	3	
	1986			15	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	9	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-25.0	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-50.0	-80.0	-25.0	+50.0	-66.7	
FOREST HEIGHTS PD.	1985			96	23	24	0	0	7	10	30	45	3	
	1986			91	10	11	0	1	9	10	20	48	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				-5.2	-56.5	-54.2	-	-	+28.6	+.0	-33.3	+4.3	+.0	
GLEN ARDEN PD.	1985			55	13	24	0	0	5	11	10	24	5	
	1986			64	15	23	0	2	2	5	30	22	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				+16.4	+15.4	-4.2	-	-	-60.0	-54.5	+200.0	-8.3	-40.0	
GREENBELT PD.	1985			1,112	143	13	2	4	43	61	200	693	109	
	1986			968	153	16	0	10	32	47	192	582	105	
PERCENT CHANGE				-12.9	+7.0	+23.1	-100.0	+150.0	-25.5	-23.0	-4.0	-16.0	-3.7	
HYATTSVILLE PD.	1985			776	83	11	1	4	31	43	156	450	91	
	1986			748	120	16	1	5	45	34	163	402	98	
PERCENT CHANGE				-3.6	+44.6	+45.5	+.0	+25.0	+45.2	-20.9	+4.5	-10.7	+7.7	
LANDOVER HILLS PD.	1985			34	8	24	0	0	1	0	7	24	2	
	1986			40	8	20	0	0	0	4	17	16	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.6	+.0	-16.7	-	-	-100.0	-	+142.9	-33.3	+50.0	

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LAUREL PD.	1985			973	249	26	0	3	34	20	167	675	74	
	1986			1,151	333	29	2	1	30	36	213	768	101	
PERCENT CHANGE				+18.3	+33.7	+11.5	-	-66.7	-11.8	+80.0	+27.5	+13.8	+36.5	
MORNINGSIDE PD.	1985			23	0	0	0	0	1	4	3	15	0	
	1986			29	2	7	1	0	1	3	10	13	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+26.1	+.0	+.0	-	-	+.0	-25.0	+233.3	-13.3	-	
MOUNT RAINER PD.	1985			363	42	12	0	3	39	19	70	163	69	
	1986			387	29	7	0	0	45	18	63	184	77	
PERCENT CHANGE				+6.6	-31.0	-41.7	-	-100.0	+15.4	-5.3	-10.0	+12.9	+11.6	
PRINCE GEORGES CO. PD.	1985			35,220	6,071	17	43	340	2,211	2,461	8,368	16,566	5,231	(245)
	1986			37,695	6,225	17	47	396	2,116	2,735	8,411	17,420	6,570	(199)
PERCENT CHANGE				+7.0	+2.5	+.0	+9.3	+16.5	-4.3	+11.1	+.5	+5.2	+25.6	(-18.8)
RIVERDALE PD.	1985			400	54	14	0	2	27	15	78	237	41	
	1986			388	55	14	0	2	32	21	88	203	42	
PERCENT CHANGE				-3.0	+1.9	+.0	-	+.0	+18.5	+40.0	+12.8	-14.3	+2.4	
UPPER MARLBORO PD.	1985			2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-100.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-100.0	-	

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UNIV. OF MD. PD.	1985			1,316	84	6	0	0	6	17	442	818	33	(3)
	1986			1,333	120	9	0	2	4	9	292	981	45	(4)
PERCENT CHANGE				+1.3	+42.9	+50.0	-	-	-33.3	-47.1	-33.9	+19.9	+36.4	(+33.3)
UNIVERSITY PARK PD.	1985			100	11	11	0	0	4	0	47	46	3	
	1986			64	2	3	0	0	2	0	22	33	7	
PERCENT CHANGE				-36.0	-81.8	-72.7	-	-	-50.0	-	-53.2	-28.3	+133.3	
MD NATIONAL CAPITAL PK POLICE	1985			246	68	28	0	1	14	26	33	160	12	
	1986			235	52	22	0	2	11	18	44	149	11	
PERCENT CHANGE				-4.5	-23.5	-21.4	-	+100.0	-21.4	-30.8	+33.3	-6.9	-8.3	
BOWIE STATE COLLEGE PD.	1985			85	7	8	0	0	0	8	33	41	3	
	1986			70	13	19	0	0	2	11	22	35	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				-17.6	+85.7	+137.5	-	-	-	+37.5	-33.3	-14.6	-100.0	
TAKOMA PARK PD.	1985			327	60	18	0	1	25	10	89	170	32	
	1986			329	53	16	0	0	24	19	119	133	34	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.6	-11.7	-11.1	-	-100.0	-4.0	+90.0	+33.7	-21.8	+6.3	
PRINCE GEORGES CO. SHERIFF	1985			56	56	100	0	0	0	56	0	0	0	
	1986			221	221	100	0	0	0	221	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+294.6	+294.6	+.0	-	-	-	+294.6	-	-	-	

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PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985		6,394.7	241	99	41	0	5	*	82	7	105	37	
	1986		6,634.4	213	80	38	0	1	5	64	6	109	28	
PERCENT CHANGE			+3.7	-11.6	-19.2	-7.3	-	-80.0	+.0	-22.0	-14.3	+3.8	-24.3	
REGION V	1985	2,132,936	6,394.7	136,393	30,870	23	260	980	9,503	14,515	30,096	70,080	10,959	
	1986	2,167,451	6,634.4	143,800	32,452	23	299	1,092	9,965	13,519	32,344	73,404	13,187	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+3.7	+5.4	+5.1	+.0	+15.0	+10.4	+4.9	-6.9	+7.5	+4.7	+20.3	
BALTIMORE CITY	1985	771,097	8,738.7	67,375	16,235	24	213	594	7,794	6,949	13,988	31,810	6,027	
	1986	783,542	8,595.4	67,345	15,260	23	240	660	8,008	6,369	14,388	30,796	6,884	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	-1.6	+.0	-6.0	-4.2	+12.7	+11.1	+2.7	-8.3	+2.9	-3.2	+14.2	
BALTO CITY PD.	1985			66,121	16,171	24	213	592	7,771	6,922	13,872	30,732	6,019	(660)
	1986			66,273	15,176	23	240	660	7,989	6,340	14,321	29,850	6,873	(758)
PERCENT CHANGE				+.2	-6.2	-4.2	+12.7	+11.5	+2.8	-8.4	+3.2	-2.9	+14.2	(+14.8)
UNIV. OF MD. BALTO. CITY	1985			697	33	5	0	0	5	1	7	684	0	(3)
	1986			555	31	6	0	0	9	2	6	535	3	(1)
PERCENT CHANGE				-20.4	-6.1	+20.0	-	-	+80.0	+100.0	-14.3	-21.8	-	(=66.7)
M P A - CUNDALK (CITY)	1985			151	15	10	0	0	0	1	22	127	1	
	1986			125	36	29	0	0	0	9	11	102	3	
PERCENT CHANGE				-17.2	+140.0	+190.0	-	-	-	+800.0	-50.0	-19.7	+200.0	

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MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY	1985			213	10	5	0	1	14	14	70	109	5	(1)
	1986			176	16	9	0	0	7	14	35	117	3	(6)
PERCENT CHANGE				-17.4	+60.0	+80.0	-	-100.0	-50.0	+.0	-50.0	+7.3	-40.0	(+500.0)
UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE	1985			119	5	4	0	1	1	2	0	114	1	
	1986			152	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	147	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+27.7	-80.0	-75.0	-	-100.0	+100.0	-100.0	-	+28.9	+.0	
COPPIN ST. UNIVERSITY	1985			71	0	0	0	0	3	8	17	42	1	
	1986			60	0	0	0	0	1	3	13	42	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				-15.5	+.0	+.0	-	-	-66.7	-62.5	-23.5	+.0	+.0	
BALTIMORE CITY SHERIFF	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BALTIMORE CITY STATE POLICE	1985			3	1	33	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	
	1986			4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+33.3	-100.0	-100.0	-	-	-	+.0	-	+50.0	-	
ANNE ARUNDEL CTY	1985	392,718	4,366.7	17,148	3,404	20	16	113	417	1,204	4,675	9,602	1,121	
	1986	399,108	4,939.9	19,715	3,552	18	20	133	369	979	5,387	11,299	1,533	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+13.1	+15.0	+4.3	-10.0	+25.0	+17.7	-11.5	-18.7	+15.1	+17.7	+36.8	

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ANNAPOLIS PD.	1985			2,963	512	17	1	12	105	309	734	1,673	129	(84)
	1986			2,874	511	18	3	23	73	204	780	1,618	173	(65)
PERCENT CHANGE				-3.0	-.2	+5.9	+200.0	+91.7	-30.5	-34.0	+6.3	-3.3	+34.1	(-22.6)
ANNE ARUNDEL CO. PD.	1985			12,711	2,491	20	15	81	268	648	3,722	7,134	843	(104)
	1986			15,241	2,700	18	16	95	273	584	4,360	8,777	1,136	(127)
PERCENT CHANGE				+19.9	+8.4	-10.0	+6.7	+17.3	+1.9	-9.9	+17.1	+23.0	+34.8	(+22.1)
ANNE ARUNDEL CO SHERIFF	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			1,474	401	27	0	20	44	247	219	795	149	
	1986			1,600	341	21	1	15	23	191	242	904	224	
PERCENT CHANGE				+8.5	-15.0	-22.2	-	-25.0	-47.7	-22.7	+10.5	+13.7	+50.3	
BALTIMORE COUNTY	1985	679,708	5,864.5	39,861	8,632	22	24	183	1,092	5,592	8,617	21,289	3,064	
	1986	690,668	6,258.6	43,228	10,899	25	31	200	1,394	5,289	9,612	23,011	3,691	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+6.7	+8.4	+26.3	+13.6	+29.2	+9.3	+27.7	-5.4	+11.5	+8.1	+20.5	
BALTO. CO. PD.	1985			38,427	8,514	22	24	179	1,081	5,491	8,425	20,219	3,009	(426)
	1986			41,996	10,760	26	31	192	1,384	5,185	9,429	22,124	3,651	(463)
PERCENT CHANGE				+9.3	+26.4	+18.2	+29.2	+7.3	+28.0	-5.6	+11.9	+9.4	+21.3	(+8.7)

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SPARROWS POINT PD.	1985			319	11	3	0	0	1	1	11	303	3	
	1986			236	3	1	0	1	0	1	27	203	4	
PERCENT CHANGE				-26.0	-72.7	-66.7	-	-	-100.0	+.0	+145.5	-33.0	+33.3	
M P A - DUNDALK (COUNTY)	1985			53	4	8	0	0	0	2	20	31	0	
	1986			56	2	4	0	0	0	1	15	35	5	
PERCENT CHANGE				+5.7	-50.0	-50.0	-	-	-	-50.0	-25.0	+12.9	-	
U.M.B.C. POLICE DEPT.	1985			230	11	5	0	0	0	1	45	180	4	(0)
	1986			216	7	3	0	1	3	5	31	176	0	(4)
PERCENT CHANGE				-6.1	-36.4	-40.0	-	-	-	+400.0	-31.1	-2.2	-100.0	(-)
TOWSON STATE COLLEGE P.D.	1985			503	22	4	0	1	5	2	88	406	1	(16)
	1986			438	29	7	0	1	5	7	84	338	3	(10)
PERCENT CHANGE				-12.9	+31.8	+75.0	-	+.0	+.0	+250.0	-4.5	-16.7	+200.0	(-37.5)
BALTO. CO. SHERIFF	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BALTIMORE COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			329	70	21	0	3	5	95	28	151	47	
	1986			286	98	34	0	5	2	90	26	135	28	
PERCENT CHANGE				-13.1	+40.0	+61.9	-	+66.7	-60.0	-5.3	-7.1	-10.6	-40.4	

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HARFORD COUNTY	1985	152,381	3,137.8	4,782	1,159	24	2	47	73	425	1,314	2,627	294	
	1986	154,882	3,502.9	5,426	1,223	23	5	53	77	542	1,226	3,120	403	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+11.6	+13.5	+5.5	-4.2	+150.0	+12.8	+5.5	+27.5	-6.7	+18.8	+37.1	
ABERDEEN PD.	1985			805	183	23	0	6	18	85	215	447	34	
	1986			894	235	26	1	9	24	87	168	542	63	
PERCENT CHANGE				+11.1	+28.4	+13.0	-	+50.0	+33.3	+2.4	-21.9	+21.3	+85.3	
BEL AIR PD.	1985			353	92	26	0	3	1	13	61	264	11	
	1986			529	93	18	0	1	1	11	57	448	11	
PERCENT CHANGE				+49.9	+1.1	-30.8	-	-66.7	+.0	-15.4	-6.6	+69.7	+.0	
HAVRE DE GRACE PD.	1985			538	118	22	0	5	7	40	118	321	47	
	1986			458	112	24	0	4	8	37	73	288	37	
PERCENT CHANGE				-14.9	-5.1	+9.1	-	-20.0	+14.3	-7.5	-38.1	-6.9	-21.3	
HARFORD CO. SHERIFF	1985			2,267	563	25	0	20	31	166	698	1,241	111	
	1986			2,664	598	22	1	27	31	264	753	1,426	162	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.5	+6.2	-12.0	-	+35.0	+.0	+59.0	+7.9	+14.9	+45.9	
HARFORD COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			819	203	25	2	13	16	121	222	354	91	
	1986			881	185	21	3	12	13	143	175	405	130	
PERCENT CHANGE				+7.6	-8.9	-16.0	+50.0	-7.7	-18.8	+18.2	-21.2	+14.4	+42.9	

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HOWARD COUNTY	1985	137,032	5,275.2	7,227	1,440	20	5	43	127	345	1,502	4,752	453	
	1986	139,251	5,804.7	8,086	1,518	19	3	36	117	340	1,736	5,178	676	
PERCENT CHANGE		+1.6	+10.0	+11.9	+5.4	-5.0	-40.0	-16.3	-7.9	-1.4	+15.6	+9.0	+49.2	
HOWARD CO. PD.	1985			6,707	1,304	19	3	37	111	277	1,414	4,470	395	
	1986			7,413	1,388	19	2	34	114	268	1,616	4,781	598	
PERCENT CHANGE				+10.5	+6.4	+.0	-33.3	-8.1	+2.7	-3.2	+14.3	+7.0	+51.4	
HOWARD CO. SHERIFF	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
HOWARD COUNTY STATE POLICE	1985			520	136	26	2	6	16	68	88	282	59	
	1986			673	130	19	1	2	3	72	120	397	78	
PERCENT CHANGE				+29.4	-4.4	-26.9	-50.0	-66.7	-81.3	+5.9	+36.4	+40.8	+34.5	
PARKS														
PARKS AND TOLLS	1985			575	127	22	0	0	1	14	13	547	0	
	1986			676	167	25	2	0	0	24	18	621	1	
PERCENT CHANGE				+17.6	+31.5	+13.6	-	-	-100.0	+142.9	+38.5	+13.5	-	

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U.S. PARK SERVICE	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
MD. ALCOHOL TAX ENFORCE UNIT	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
NATURAL RESOURES POLICE	1985			260	88	34	0	0	0	3	1	256	0	
	1986			274	108	39	0	0	0	3	0	271	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+5.4	+22.7	+14.7	-	-	-	+.0	-100.0	+5.9	-	
MD. PARK SERVICES ANNAPOLIS	1985			294	32	11	0	0	0	4	12	278	0	(240)
	1986			375	45	12	0	0	0	30	17	327	1	(214)
PERCENT CHANGE				+27.6	+40.6	+9.1	-	-	-	+650.0	+41.7	+17.6	-	(-10.8)
TOLL FACILITES	1985			21	7	33	0	0	1	7	0	13	0	
	1986			27	14	52	2	0	0	1	1	23	0	
PERCENT CHANGE				+28.6	+100.0	+57.6	-	-	-100.0	-85.7	-	+76.9	-	
STATE FIRE MARSHALL	1985			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(539)
	1986			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(637)
PERCENT CHANGE				+.0	+.0	+.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(+18.2)

MUNICIPALITY CRIME RATES

Crime Rates for the individual cities are calculated in the following table. The rates for many cities are based on combined figures of municipal, county and state Law Enforcement Agencies due to overlapping jurisdictions.

		Crime Rate	Total Offenses	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking or Entering	Larceny Theft	M/V Theft	Arson
REGION I											
CAROLINE COUNTY											
Denton	1985	5,200.0	103	0	2	0	11	11	76	3	(2)
	1986	6,550.0	131	0	3	1	7	43	70	7	(0)
	% Change	+26.0	+27.2								
Federalsburg	1985	3,750.0	75	0	0	1	7	16	49	2	(0)
	1986	5,190.5	109	1	1	9	11	23	63	1	(4)
	% Change	+38.4	+45.3								
Goldsboro	1985	500.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	(0)
	1986	500.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	(0)
	% Change	0.0	0.0								
Greensboro	1985	1,384.6	18	0	0	0	0	6	9	3	(1)
	1986	2,923.1	38	0	1	1	5	10	17	4	(1)
	% Change	+111.1	+111.1								
Marydel	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								
Preston	1985	400.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	(0)
	1986	3,600.0	18	0	1	0	1	4	9	3	(2)
	% Change	+800.0	+800.0								
Ridgely	1985	3,111.1	28	0	0	0	3	6	18	1	(0)
	1986	4,222.2	38	0	1	0	1	19	16	1	(1)
	% Change	+35.7	+35.7								
CECIL COUNTY											
Cecilton	1985	1,600.0	8	0	0	0	1	6	1	0	(0)
	1986	1,666.6	10	0	0	0	1	4	4	1	(2)
	% Change	+4.2	+25.0								
Charlestown	1985	4,142.9	29	0	0	0	1	10	16	2	(0)
	1986	1,875.0	15	0	2	0	2	4	6	1	(0)
	% Change	-54.7	-48.3								
Chesapeake City	1985	2,666.7	24	0	0	0	5	5	12	2	(1)
	1986	3,500.0	35	0	0	0	6	6	21	2	(2)
	% Change	+31.2	+45.8								
Elkton	1985	7,884.1	544	0	4	5	42	82	366	45	(6)
	1986	7,845.1	557	0	4	7	32	94	394	26	(12)
	% Change	-0.5	+2.4								
Northeast	1985	6,687.5	107	0	3	1	12	13	70	8	(0)
	1986	4,411.8	75	0	0	1	8	7	53	6	(5)
	% Change	-34.0	-29.9								
Perryville	1985	4,500.0	99	0	0	0	9	45	35	10	(2)
	1986	3,381.0	71	0	1	0	7	25	34	4	(1)
	% Change	-24.9	-28.3								
Port Deposit	1985	2,857.1	20	0	0	0	0	7	11	2	(0)
	1986	2,857.1	20	0	0	0	0	6	14	0	(2)
	% Change	0.0	0.0								
Rising Sun	1985	3,520.0	44	0	0	0	1	13	28	2	(0)
	1986	3,071.4	43	0	0	1	2	11	26	3	(3)
	% Change	-12.7	-2.3								

		Crime Rate	Total Offenses	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking or Entering	Larceny Theft	M/V Theft	Arson
DORCHESTER COUNTY											
Cambridge	1985	8,341.9	976	1	2	28	89	183	654	19	(8)
	1986	8,504.3	978	2	3	27	81	235	609	21	(8)
	% Change	+1.9	+0.2								
Hurlock	1985	1,944.4	35	0	0	0	5	11	17	2	(1)
	1986	3,555.6	64	0	0	0	4	9	46	5	(4)
	% Change	+82.9	+82.9								
KENT COUNTY											
Chestertown	1985	5,468.8	175	0	0	3	31	25	109	7	(1)
	1986	4,939.4	163	0	2	2	13	41	103	2	(0)
	% Change	-9.7	-6.9								
Rock Hall	1985	6,062.5	97	0	2	0	8	26	53	8	(0)
	1986	4,687.5	75	0	0	0	4	27	40	4	(1)
	% Change	-22.7	-22.7								
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY											
Centreville	1985	4,800.0	96	0	0	0	6	30	56	4	(0)
	1986	3,150.0	63	0	0	0	7	15	39	2	(0)
	% Change	-34.4	-34.4								
SOMERSET COUNTY											
Crisfield	1985	3,826.6	111	0	1	0	9	35	65	1	(2)
	1986	3,862.1	112	0	0	2	4	28	75	3	(1)
	% Change	+0.9	+0.9								
Princess Anne	1985	6,812.5	109	0	0	0	4	22	79	4	(1)
	1986	12,200.0	183	0	5	2	16	25	128	7	(2)
	% Change	+79.1	+67.9								
TALBOT COUNTY											
Easton	1985	6,687.5	535	1	2	12	42	165	295	18	(4)
	1986	7,302.3	628	0	3	10	50	141	402	22	(2)
	% Change	+9.2	+17.4								
Oxford	1985	1,375.0	11	0	0	0	3	3	5	0	(1)
	1986	1,625.0	13	0	0	0	0	2	11	0	(0)
	% Change	+18.2	+18.2								
St. Michaels	1985	6,500.0	91	1	0	0	8	20	58	4	(0)
	1986	7,785.7	109	0	1	0	8	19	79	2	(0)
	% Change	+19.8	+19.8								
Trappe	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	111.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								
WICOMICO COUNTY											
Delmar	1985	4,769.2	62	0	1	0	11	11	36	3	(0)
	1986	4,571.4	64	0	1	0	6	15	40	2	(0)
	% Change	-4.1	+3.2								
Fruitland	1985	5,344.8	155	1	0	1	12	32	104	5	(1)
	1986	6,032.3	187	1	1	4	7	33	134	7	(0)
	% Change	+12.9	+20.6								
Hebron	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								

		Crime Rate	Total Offenses	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking or Entering	Larceny Theft	M/V Theft	Arson
Salisbury	1985	10,664.7	1,813	2	9	51	82	524	1,076	68	(17)
	1986	11,848.0	2,026	4	9	65	210	494	1,182	62	(10)
	% Change	+11.1	+11.7								
Sharptown	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								
Willards	1985	600.0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	200.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	(0)
	% Change	-66.7	-66.7								
WORCESTER COUNTY											
Berlin	1985	4,280.0	107	0	1	0	5	27	74	0	(0)
	1986	3,586.2	104	0	3	3	0	33	62	3	(0)
	% Change	-16.2	-2.8								
Ocean City	1985	39,345.5	2,164	0	5	25	96	457	1,497	84	(7)
	1986	39,936.5	2,516	1	8	22	99	497	1,824	65	(18)
	% Change	+1.5	+16.3								
Ocean Pines	1985	9,214.3	129	0	0	0	3	64	56	6	(0)
	1986	9,714.3	136	0	1	0	4	76	54	1	(0)
	% Change	+5.4	+5.4								
Pocomoke City	1985	6,114.3	214	0	1	2	10	23	175	3	(0)
	1986	5,888.9	212	0	3	2	7	19	180	1	(0)
	% Change	-3.7	-0.9								
Snow Hill	1985	227.3	5	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	(0)
	1986	142.9	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	(1)
	% Change	-37.1	-40.0								
REGION II											
CALVERT COUNTY											
Chesapeake Beach	1985	4,812.5	77	0	1	1	11	23	37	4	(2)
	1986	3,210.5	61	0	0	0	16	18	24	3	(0)
	% Change	-33.3	-20.8								
North Beach	1985	4,368.4	83	0	0	1	12	29	40	1	(0)
	1986	2,454.5	54	0	0	0	8	23	22	1	(1)
	% Change	-43.8	-34.9								
CHARLES COUNTY											
Indian Head	1985	2,166.7	39	0	0	0	2	10	27	0	(0)
	1986	3,437.5	55	0	0	0	5	13	36	1	(0)
	% Change	+58.7	+41.0								
La Plata	1985	6,963.0	188	0	1	1	9	40	124	13	(1)
	1986	5,655.2	164	0	0	3	13	21	120	7	(5)
	% Change	-18.8	-12.8								
ST. MARY'S COUNTY											
Leonardtown	1985	4,200.0	63	0	0	0	8	21	33	1	(1)
	1986	7,400.0	111	0	1	0	3	35	71	1	(4)
	% Change	+76.2	+76.2								
REGION III											
ALLEGANY COUNTY											
Barton	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								

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Cumberland	1985	3,603.8	937	0	2	7	12	174	720	22	(10)
	1986	4,303.6	1,063	0	1	7	26	213	786	30	(6)
	% Change	+19.4	+13.4								
Frostburg	1985	2,696.2	213*	0	1	1	8	40	154	9	(0)
	1986	3,236.8	246	0	1	3	10	37	194	1	(4)
	% Change	+20.1	+15.5								
Lonaconing	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								
Luke	1985	666.7	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	(0)
	1986	666.7	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	(0)
	% Change	0.0	0.0								
Midland	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								
Westernport	1985	1,555.6	42	0	1	0	6	22	12	1	(0)
	1986	1,333.3	36	0	0	0	2	13	20	1	(0)
	% Change	-14.3	-14.3								
CARROLL COUNTY											
Hampstead	1985	2,307.7	30	0	1	0	1	2	24	2	(3)
	1986	2,071.4	29	0	0	0	0	5	24	0	(1)
	% Change	-10.2	-3.3								
Manchester	1985	1,894.7	36	0	0	0	3	7	26	0	(0)
	1986	1,800.0	36	0	0	0	0	9	26	1	(1)
	% Change	-5.0	0.0								
New Windsor	1985	1,111.1	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	(0)
	1986	777.8	7	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	(1)
	% Change	-30.0	-30.0								
Sykesville	1985	2,421.1	46	0	0	0	9	6	31	0	(3)
	1986	3,550.0	71	0	0	1	8	21	41	0	(3)
	% Change	+46.6	+54.3								
Taneytown	1985	1,785.7	50	0	1	1	7	8	32	1	(0)
	1986	2,413.8	70	0	0	0	9	10	47	4	(0)
	% Change	+35.2	+40.0								
Union Bridge	1985	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	1986	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-	-								
Westminster	1985	4,446.8	418	0	3	7	22	57	320	9	(3)
	1986	5,653.1	554	0	5	9	24	153	345	18	(25)
	% Change	+27.1	+32.5								
FREDERICK COUNTY											
Brunswick	1985	1,612.2	79	0	0	0	6	32	36	5	(1)
	1986	1,860.0	93	0	1	0	10	20	54	8	(12)
	% Change	+15.4	+17.7								
Burkittsville	1985	1,000.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	(0)
	1986	500.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	(1)
	% Change	-50.0	-50.0								

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Emmitsburg	1985	2,562.5	41	0	0	0	3	6	31	1	(2)
	1986	625.0	10	0	0	0	0	1	8	1	(2)
	% Change	-75.6	-75.6								
Frederick	1985	7,292.1	2,297	1	8	62	349	473	1,314	90	(8)
	1986	7,429.9	2,437	1	9	52	409	431	1,423	112	(38)
	% Change	+1.9	+6.1								
Middletown	1985	1,277.8	23	0	0	0	0	9	13	1	(0)
	1986	1,333.3	24	0	0	0	0	5	19	0	(2)
	% Change	+4.3	+4.3								
*Mt. Airy	1985	333.3	10	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	(3)
	1986	566.7	17	0	0	0	0	6	11	0	(3)
	% Change	+70.0	+70.0								
Myersville	1985	800.0	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	(0)
	1986	400.0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	(1)
	% Change	-50.0	-50.0								
New Market	1985	400.0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	(0)
	1986	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-100.0	-100.0								
Thurmont	1985	1,677.4	52	0	0	0	8	19	26	1	(1)
	1986	2,032.3	63	0	0	1	5	13	42	2	(2)
	% Change	+21.2	+21.2								
Walkersville	1985	551.7	16	0	0	0	0	8	8	0	(2)
	1986	862.1	25	0	0	0	2	10	13	0	(1)
	% Change	+56.3	+56.3								
Woodsboro	1985	400.0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	(1)
	1986	1,200.0	6	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	(1)
	% Change	+200.0	+200.0								
GARRETT COUNTY											
Friendsville	1985	600.0	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	(1)
	1986	1,000.0	5	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	(0)
	% Change	+66.7	+66.7								
Grantsville	1985	400.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	(0)
	1986	200.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	(0)
	% Change	-50.0	-50.0								
Mt. Lake Park	1985	444.4	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	(0)
	1986	500.0	9	0	0	0	3	3	3	0	(0)
	% Change	+12.5	+12.5								
Oakland	1985	3,050.0	61	0	0	0	1	32	26	2	(1)
	1986	3,200.0	64	0	0	0	2	18	38	6	(1)
	% Change	+4.9	+4.9								
WASHINGTON COUNTY											
Boonsboro	1985	210.5	4	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	(0)
	1986	550.0	11	0	0	0	1	7	2	1	(0)
	% Change	+161.3	+175.0								
Clear Spring	1985	1,000.0	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	(0)
	1986	1,600.0	8	0	0	0	1	5	2	0	(0)
	% Change	+60.0	+60.0								

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Funkstown	1985	166.7	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	(1)
	1986	583.3	7	1	0	0	1	3	2	0	(0)
	% Change	+249.9	+250.0								
Hagerstown	1985	5,195.3	1,782,	0	7	71	84	419	1,108	93	(35)
	1986	5,289.1	1,793	1	8	43	94	459	1,099	89	(37)
	% Change	-2.1	+0.6								
Hancock	1985	2,631.6	50	0	0	0	2	8	39	1	(0)
	1986	1,894.7	36	0	0	0	5	7	21	3	(1)
	% Change	-28.0	-28.0								
Keedysville	1985	200.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	(0)
	1986	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(0)
	% Change	-100.0	-100.0								
Sharpsburg	1985	428.6	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	(2)
	1986	857.1	6	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	(2)
	% Change	+100.0	+100.0								
Smithsburg	1985	555.6	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	(0)
	1986	1,666.7	15	0	0	0	0	7	7	1	(1)
	% Change	+200.0	+200.0								
Williamsport	1985	666.7	14	0	0	0	1	1	10	2	(1)
	1986	2,800.0	56	0	0	3	4	16	27	6	(0)
	% Change	+320.0	+300.0								
REGION IV											
**MONTGOMERY COUNTY											
Chevy Chase IV	1985	1,931.0	56	0	0	0	1	13	36	6	(-)
	1986	1,172.4	34	0	0	1	0	6	26	1	(-)
	% Change	-39.3	-39.3								
Chevy Chase Village	1985	3,476.1	73	0	0	4	0	24	45	0	(-)
	1986	2,900.0	58	0	0	0	0	24	33	1	(-)
	% Change	-16.6	-20.5								
Gaithersburg	1985	6,065.1	1,771	1	11	38	61	305	1,206	149	(-)
	1986	6,257.4	1,896	0	9	44	84	297	1,298	164	(-)
	% Change	+3.2	+7.1								
Garrett Park	1985	1,583.3	19	0	0	0	0	7	9	3	(-)
	1986	666.7	8	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	(-)
	% Change	-57.9	-57.9								
Kensington	1985	9,722.2	175	0	0	3	4	38	117	13	(-)
	1986	7,944.4	143	0	0	3	0	30	103	7	(-)
	% Change	-18.3	-18.3								
Poolesville	1985	1,794.1	61	0	0	0	4	13	43	1	(-)
	1986	1,882.4	64	0	0	0	8	15	38	3	(-)
	% Change	+4.9	+4.9								
Rockville	1985	5,170.7	2,332	0	10	67	94	435	1,582	144	(-)
	1986	4,813.9	2,224	1	13	53	77	355	1,538	187	(-)
	% Change	-6.9	-4.6								
Somerset	1985	1,727.3	19	0	1	1	0	3	12	2	(-)
	1986	1,454.5	16	0	0	0	0	3	13	0	(-)
	% Change	-15.8	-15.8								

**Breakdown by Municipality for arson not available from Montgomery County.

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***Takoma Park	1985	4,827.3	531	0	8	42	29	146	262	44	(-)
	1986	6,169.9	944	0	6	61	71	296	435	75	(-)
	% Change	+27.8	+77.8								
****PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY											
Berwyn Heights	1985										
	1986	2,774.2	86	0	0	4	6	13	48	15	(-)
	% Change										
Bladensburg	1985										
	1986	12,075.9	954	0	15	73	83	157	461	165	(-)
	% Change										
Bowie	1985										
	1986	2,902.4	1,071	1	4	28	49	240	657	92	(-)
	% Change										
Brentwood	1985										
	1986	6,312.5	202	1	3	8	15	50	85	40	(-)
	% Change										
Capital Heights	1985										
	1986	4,736.8	180	1	2	18	10	23	85	41	(-)
	% Change										
Cheverly	1985										
	1986	5,879.3	341	0	5	24	14	79	162	57	(-)
	% Change										
College Park	1985										
	1986	9,750.0	2,262	1	12	37	62	534	1,475	141	(-)
	% Change										
Colmar Manor	1985										
	1986	4,230.8	55	0	0	3	9	17	22	4	(-)
	% Change										
Cottage City	1985										
	1986	11,090.9	122	0	0	8	3	20	79	12	(-)
	% Change										
District Heights	1985										
	1986	5,185.7	363	1	2	18	35	97	162	48	(-)
	% Change										
Eagle Harbor	1985										
	1986	4,000.0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	(-)
	% Change										
Edmonston	1985										
	1986	7,909.1	84	1	1	1	4	20	53	4	(-)
	% Change										
Fairmount Heights	1985										
	1986	11,875.0	190	0	2	12	24	60	61	31	(-)
	% Change										
Forest Heights	1985										
	1986	4,833.3	145	0	1	12	14	28	80	10	(-)
	% Change										
Glenarden	1985										
	1986	5,733.3	258	0	3	25	41	84	75	30	(-)
	% Change										

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****Pr. George's County 1985 data not available. Breakdown by municipality for arson not available from Pr. George's County.

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Greenbelt	1985										
	1986	6,058.5	1,036	0	10	35	50	201	622	118	(-)
	% Change										
Hyattsville	1985										
	1986	6,890.8	820	1	6	54	42	170	440	107	(-)
	% Change										
Landover Hills	1985										
	1986	6,071.4	85	0	0	6	6	32	34	7	(-)
	% Change										
Laurel	1985										
	1986	9,713.1	1,185	2	1	30	41	219	790	102	(-)
	% Change										
Morningside	1985										
	1986	4,307.7	56	1	0	4	8	15	25	3	(-)
	% Change										
Mt. Rainier	1985										
	1986	5,756.4	449	0	0	46	28	75	207	93	(-)
	% Change										
New Carrollton	1985										
	1986	6,595.2	831	0	4	58	39	192	377	161	(-)
	% Change										
North Brentwood	1985										
	1986	4,666.7	28	0	1	1	6	8	9	3	(-)
	% Change										
Riverdale	1985										
	1986	8,960.0	448	0	4	36	36	97	225	50	(-)
	% Change										
Seat Pleasant	1985										
	1986	11,346.9	556	0	10	54	47	116	244	85	(-)
	% Change										
University Park	1985										
	1986	3,384.6	88	0	1	4	0	30	43	10	(-)
	% Change										
Upper Marlboro	1985										
	1986	7,375.0	59	0	1	0	5	6	43	4	(-)
	% Change										
REGION V											
BALTIMORE CITY											
Baltimore City	1985	8,737.1	67,374	213	594	7,794	6,950	13,988	31,808	6,027	(660)
	1986	8,594.9	67,341	240	660	8,008	6,368	14,388	30,793	6,884	(765)
	% Change	-1.6	0.0								
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY											
Annapolis	1985	9,033.5	2,963	1	12	105	309	734	1,673	129	(84)
	1986	8,789.0	2,874	3	23	73	204	780	1,618	173	(65)
	% Change	-2.7	-3.0								
HARFORD COUNTY											
Aberdeen	1985	6,764.7	805	0	6	18	85	215	447	34	(28)
	1986	7,576.3	894	1	9	24	87	168	542	63	(5)
	% Change	+12.0	+11.1								

		Crime Rate	Total Offenses	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking or Entering	Larceny Theft	M/V Theft	Arson
Bel Air	1985	4,304.9	353	0	3	1	13	61	264	11	(0)
	1986	6,451.2	529	0	1	1	11	57	448	11	(3)
	% Change	+49.9	+49.9								
Havre de Grace	1985	6,044.9	538	0	5	7	40	118	321	47	(7)
	1986	5,146.1	458	0	4	8	37	73	299	37	(6)
	% Change	-14.9	-14.9								

MARYLAND
ARREST DATA

ARREST DATA

The Maryland Uniform Crime Reporting Program requires the submission of monthly reports of data concerning persons arrested in the state. A record of total arrest activity for criminal acts in both Part I and Part II crime classes is received from 128 county, state and municipal law enforcement agencies, according to the age, sex and race of persons arrested. Traffic arrests, except Driving While Intoxicated, are not reported. A total of 219,857 arrests for Part I and Part II criminal offenses were reported during 1986. In comparison to 1985, there were 209,399 arrests which results in a 5 percent increase. Based on 1986 population estimates, there were 4,926.2 arrests per 100,000 population in Maryland. The arrest rate for 1985 was 4,767.7, resulting in a 3 percent increase in arrest rate.

A person is counted on the monthly arrest report each time he is arrested. It should be noted that a person may be arrested several times during a given month for the same or different offenses. This occurs frequently in a crime such as Disorderly Conduct. A juvenile is counted as "arrested" when the circumstances are such that if he or she were an adult an arrest would be counted, or when police or other official action beyond a mere interview, warning or admonishment is taken.

Arrest figures do not indicate the number of individuals arrested or summonsed since, as has been pointed out, one person may be arrested several times during the month. However, arrest information is useful in measuring the extent of law enforcement activities in a given geographic area, as well as providing an index for measuring the involvement in criminal acts, by the age, sex and race of perpetrators.

24 percent of all reported arrests during 1986 were for Crime Index Offenses (Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Breaking or Entering, Larceny-Theft, and Motor Vehicle Theft). Analysis of Crime Index Arrest Data indicates that Larceny comprised the highest percentage of all arrests for Crime Index crimes, with 48 percent of the total. The same trend for Larceny occurred in 1985 with 47 percent of the total. The Drug Abuse, Other Assaults, Driving Under the Influence, Disorderly Conduct, and All Other Offense categories continue to record the highest percentage of arrests for Part II Offenses. These offenses accounted for 78 percent of the total Part II Offenses in 1986.

VIOLENT CRIME

Arrests for crimes of violence (Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery and Aggravated Assault) on a statewide basis amounted to

24 percent of arrests for Crime Index Offenses and 6 percent of the total arrests in 1986, the same as in 1985. A further evaluation indicates that arrests for Robbery and Aggravated Assault were the most frequent, representing 30 and 60 percent respectively, of the total arrests for Violent Crimes.

Property Crime

Property Crime arrests (Breaking or Entering, Larceny-Theft and Motor Vehicle Theft) comprised 77 percent of all arrests for Crime Index Offenses and 19 percent of the total arrests in 1986, as compared to 76 percent of all arrests for Crime Index Offenses and 19 percent of the total arrests in 1985.

The highest percentage of Property Crime arrests, 62 percent, occurred in the Larceny category; in 1985, it was 63 percent of the total.

Drug Abuse Violation Arrests

Information pertaining to Drug Abuse Violation arrests is collected according to specific drug categories and whether the arrest was for Sale or Manufacture or Possession of the specific drug. During 1986, a total of 20,108 arrests for Drug Abuse Law Violations was reported, as compared to 1985 with 19,550 arrests, resulting in a 3 percent increase.

Evaluation of data reported discloses that 32 percent of all persons arrested for Drug Abuse Violations were under 21 years of age. 33 percent of all persons arrested for Drug Abuse Violations were under 21 in 1985. 14 percent of the Drug Abuse Violation arrests were for persons under the age of 18 as compared to 15 percent in 1985.

Analysis of individual categories showed that the highest percentage of arrests, 49 percent, involved marijuana, as compared to 60 percent in 1985. 78 percent of the total Drug Abuse Arrests were for Possession while 22 percent were for Sale or Manufacture. In 1985, 68 percent were for Possession while 32 percent were for Sale or Manufacture. Possession of marijuana represented 38 percent of the total Drug Abuse arrests, as compared to 1985, with 46 percent of the total.

5 YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Opium/Cocaine	4,695	7,205	5,504	4,416	3,186	3,163
Marijuana	11,346	9,773	11,651	11,227	12,030	12,047
Synthetic	892	1,378	873	741	711	756
Other	1,526	1,752	1,522	1,532	1,372	1,452
Total	18,459	20,108	19,550	17,916	17,299	17,418

GAMBLING ARRESTS

A total of 576 Gambling arrests were reported during 1986. In 1985, 581 persons were arrested for Gambling violations, resulting in a 1 percent decrease.

Arrests for Gambling offenses amounted to .3 percent of all reported Part I and Part II arrests, the same as in 1985. Persons under the age of 18 made up 9 percent of all Gambling arrests compared to 8 percent in 1985.

5 YEAR TREND

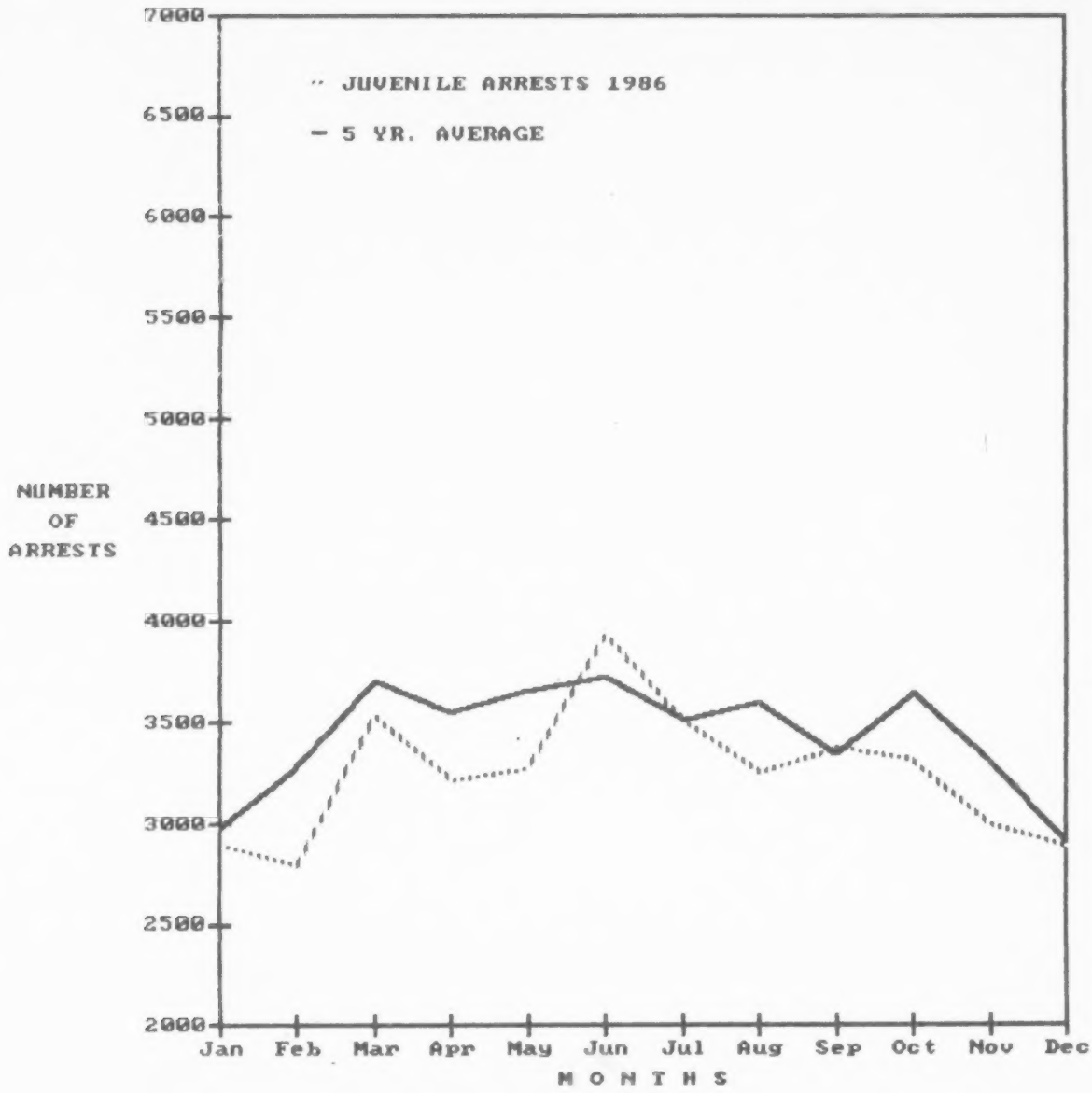
	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Bookmaking	53	70	45	61	52	37
Numbers	131	95	132	76	184	170
Other	411	411	404	490	382	367
Total	595	576	581	627	618	574

TOTAL ARREST COMPARISON

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
Juvenile	39,331	38,955	37,753	38,005	38,468	43,472
Adult	172,031	180,902	171,646	166,832	169,963	170,814
Total	211,362	219,857	209,399	204,837	208,431	214,286

ARRESTS

JUVENILE



ARRESTS

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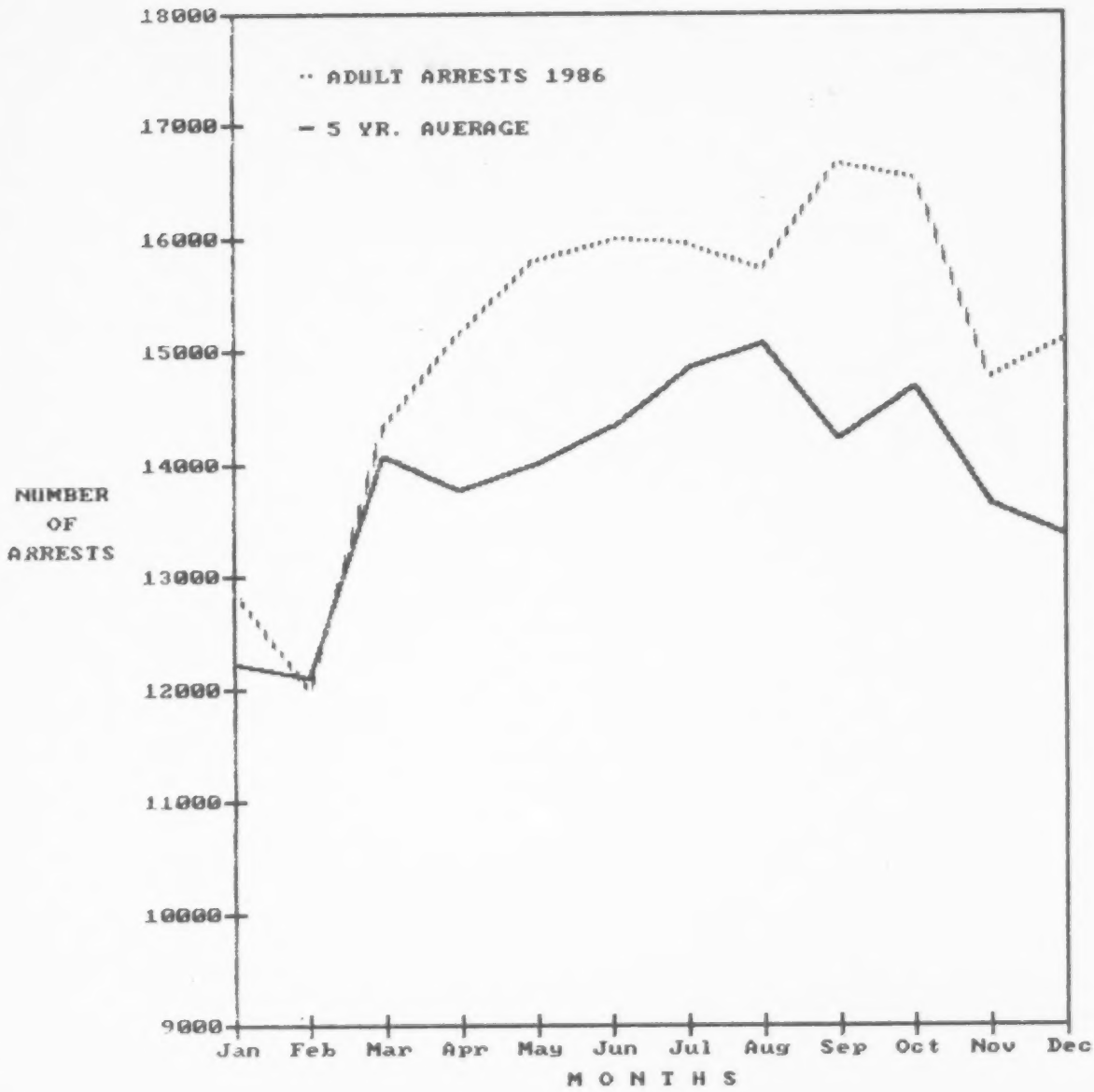


ARREST RATE

FIVE YEAR TREND

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
MURDER	8.8	8.7	8.1	9.2	8.1	10.1
RAPE	20.0	19.9	19.1	19.7	19.1	22.0
ROBBERY	99.6	84.7	86.7	97.3	112.3	117.0
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	158.0	169.2	170.2	148.6	149.0	152.8
BREAKING OR ENTERING	251.7	230.1	242.9	243.8	254.9	287.0
LARCENY	598.1	569.6	560.8	573.1	620.2	666.7
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	85.7	118.1	92.9	80.5	68.2	69.0
CRIME INDEX TOTALS	1,221.9	1,200.3	1,180.7	1,172.2	1,231.7	1,324.4

Arrest rates are a measure of law enforcement activity in response to crime. The above table represents the Crime Index arrest rates per 100,000 inhabitants in Maryland.

A R R E S T S

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	SEX		RACE			
	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN	ASIAN
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	345	41	89	294	0	3
Manslaughter by Negligence	38	9	35	12	0	0
Forcible Rape	882	7	313	571	3	2
Robbery	3,541	240	666	3,103	9	3
Felonious Assault	6,365	1,186	3,532	3,973	18	28
Breaking or Entering	9,612	659	4,988	5,235	20	28
Larceny-Theft	18,814	6,607	11,775	13,418	29	199
Motor Vehicle Theft	4,853	416	1,609	3,640	4	16
Other Assaults	19,023	3,702	11,929	10,697	35	64
Arson	559	102	475	184	0	2
Forgery & Counterfeiting	663	338	553	446	1	1
Fraud	2,270	1,847	2,126	1,982	6	3
Embezzlement	238	124	153	206	0	3
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing	703	66	203	562	0	4
Vandalism	5,130	598	4,000	1,700	13	15
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	4,401	274	2,297	2,344	12	22
Prostitution & Commercialized Vice	509	764	645	618	6	4
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape, Prostitution & Commercialized Vice)	1,653	90	1,002	730	3	8
Drug Abuse Violations	16,906	3,202	9,437	10,595	41	35
Gambling	503	73	168	407	0	1
Offenses Against Family and Children	1,036	108	732	411	0	1
Driving under the Influence	26,255	3,404	23,864	5,583	27	185
Liquor Laws	3,946	650	3,451	1,133	4	8
Disorderly Conduct	5,229	973	3,441	2,719	21	21
Vagrancy	278	19	107	189	0	1
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	49,052	7,702	32,737	23,758	70	189
Suspicion	170	33	169	33	0	1
Curfew & Loitering Law Violations	523	161	389	293	0	2
Run-Aways	1,202	1,763	2,306	637	4	18
GRAND TOTAL	184,699	35,158	123,191	95,473	326	867

A R R E S T S

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	AGE							AGE					
	9 & Under	10-12	13-14	15	16	17	Juvenile Total	18	19	20	21	22	23
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	0	0	3	5	10	12	30	27	28	23	12	21	28
Manslaughter by Negligence	0	0	2	0	1	1	4	0	6	4	5	0	4
Forcible Rape	5	13	40	33	28	50	169	42	49	29	49	40	44
Robbery	8	88	252	261	276	288	1,173	242	250	205	186	182	179
Felonious Assault	41	109	296	272	340	360	1,418	315	278	306	325	337	349
Breaking or Entering	103	319	816	668	706	735	3,347	714	653	524	473	429	449
Larceny-Theft	258	880	1,922	1,407	1,649	1,627	7,743	1,311	1,174	1,046	1,028	928	916
Motor Vehicle Theft	8	63	478	691	743	751	2,734	425	361	248	192	195	150
Other Assaults	79	296	646	515	695	708	2,939	760	842	904	1,021	1,071	1,188
Arson	88	50	95	36	46	40	355	32	21	17	16	14	12
Forgery & Counterfeiting	0	1	4	13	22	30	70	41	69	43	55	48	50
Fraud	0	4	15	15	23	41	98	53	77	104	152	203	184
Embezzlement	0	0	1	0	6	14	21	16	12	24	21	17	17
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing	1	10	48	72	98	88	317	63	52	36	35	33	20
Vandalism	168	392	701	510	549	526	2,846	292	234	194	198	170	169
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	3	32	140	203	230	229	837	242	269	229	252	276	234
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	0	1	9	4	14	29	57	25	38	59	50	58	68
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape, Prostitution & Commercialized Vice)	25	70	120	59	73	64	411	28	47	55	64	52	45
Drug Abuse Violations	5	31	304	512	814	1,116	2,782	1,113	1,220	1,220	1,230	1,199	1,161
Gambling	1	0	4	16	12	18	51	28	21	24	23	21	18
Offenses Against Family and Children	5	0	0	6	1	2	14	1	15	33	47	55	58
Driving under the Influence	7	0	3	12	89	227	338	579	775	922	1,288	1,333	1,500
Liquor Laws	0	7	82	144	306	485	1,024	434	432	358	248	211	197
Disorderly Conduct	12	34	154	199	272	328	999	261	282	291	305	311	294
Vagrancy	1	1	5	2	2	9	20	18	18	14	21	8	15
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	148	384	1,102	1,098	1,327	1,370	5,429	1,781	2,305	2,718	2,811	2,930	2,993
Suspicion	4	8	14	10	24	20	80	17	9	11	6	7	6
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	15	36	140	164	161	168	684						
Run-Aways	26	190	861	786	688	414	2,965						
GRAND TOTAL	1,011	3,019	8,257	7,713	9,205	9,750	38,955	8,860	9,537	9,641	10,113	10,149	10,353

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	AGE 24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	AGE 55-59	60-64	65 & Over	Adult Total	TOTAL
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	11	102	39	30	12	11	6	4	2	0	356	386
Manslaughter by Negligence	1	9	5	4	0	1	1	1	1	1	43	47
Forcible Rape	38	173	117	63	24	19	9	13	8	3	720	889
Robbery	161	607	346	171	40	23	8	4	1	3	2,608	3,781
Felonious Assault	307	1,417	876	627	366	254	130	85	84	77	6,133	7,551
Breaking or Entering	387	1,550	907	468	192	82	46	22	12	16	6,924	10,271
Larceny-Theft	831	3,869	2,773	1,695	821	496	286	204	138	162	17,678	25,421
Motor Vehicle Theft	120	410	218	117	42	29	13	8	2	5	2,535	5,269
Other Assaults	1,218	4,848	3,221	1,996	1,136	594	389	254	176	168	19,786	22,725
Arson	15	62	40	28	11	10	10	5	4	4	306	661
Forgery & Counterfeiting	40	225	149	122	40	26	7	10	3	3	931	1,001
Fraud	169	970	774	597	359	172	108	54	26	17	4,019	4,117
Embezzlement	25	77	60	35	19	8	4	5	0	1	341	362
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing	34	67	57	30	11	8	3	0	2	1	452	769
Vandalism	150	652	362	184	105	68	42	25	20	17	2,882	5,728
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	194	833	528	308	200	114	60	37	35	27	3,838	4,675
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	69	303	244	115	65	31	29	25	17	20	1,216	1,273
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape, Prostitution & Commercialized Vice)	65	284	214	154	114	75	37	37	35	26	1,332	1,743
Drug Abuse Violations	1,069	4,412	2,424	1,340	500	228	125	44	18	23	17,326	20,108
Gambling	10	67	33	42	58	50	39	33	28	30	525	626
Offenses Against Family and Children	61	235	212	185	89	69	44	15	7	4	1,130	1,144
Driving under the Influence	1,476	6,635	4,683	3,441	2,328	1,584	1,083	816	509	369	29,321	29,659
Liquor Laws	135	583	344	249	128	86	62	54	21	30	3,572	4,596
Disorderly Conduct	254	1,138	704	478	277	208	161	105	67	67	5,203	6,202
Vagrancy	11	54	38	29	18	11	7	8	6	1	277	297
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	2,756	12,126	8,043	5,361	2,928	1,852	1,097	750	459	415	51,325	56,754
Suspicion	3	23	12	11	4	6	0	1	5	2	123	203
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations												684
Run-Aways												2,965
GRAND TOTAL	9,610	41,731	27,423	17,880	9,887	6,115	3,806	2,619	1,686	1,492	180,902	219,857

TABLES FOR ARRESTS BY REGION, COUNTY, AND

AGENCY ARE CONTAINED IN THE SUPPLEMENT REPORT

"MARYLAND ARREST DATA"

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED

Six law enforcement officers were killed in Maryland during 1986 while in the line of duty. The following summaries are based on information provided by the respective agencies and by the Federal Bureau of Investigation who conducts in-depth investigations into these tragic incidents in which law enforcement officers have made the supreme sacrifice in the performance of their duties.

JANUARY 19, 1986

Two Maryland State troopers were killed in the crash of a State Police MedEvac helicopter on January 19, 1986 at approximately 4:30 A.M. The male pilot and female aviation trauma technician had flown a critically injured patient to University Hospital's Shock Trauma Unit and were returning to the helicopter's hangar at Frederick Airport. The crash occurred only minutes into the flight in a heavily wooded area of Leakin Park near the 1200 block of North Hilton Parkway in Baltimore City. The pilot was a nine-year veteran and the medic had six years of law enforcement experience.

JUNE 12, 1986

An officer, male aged 55, with Baltimore City Police Department died on July 21, 1986 as a result of injuries sustained in an incident which occurred on June 12, 1986 at approximatley 6:00 P.M. The 32-year-old male suspect, who was driving under the influence, failed to obey the officer's directions, turned the vehicle, and intentionally struck the victim officer. The suspect was arrested and charged with the officer's murder.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1986

On September 18, 1986 a 54-year-old male officer with the Maryland Toll Facilities Police was shot and killed at approximately 8:30 P.M. while responding to a one vehicle traffic accident. Upon arriving at the scene, the officer was advised by a Havre de Grace Police Department officer that the vehicle involved was stolen and abandoned. The victim officer observed a male walking on the highway nearby and picked up the suspect to return him to the accident scene. The suspect was sitting in the back seat of the patrol unit and allegedly shot the 19-year veteran in the rear head with a .38-caliber handgun. Three Havre de Grace officers also received gunshot wounds from the suspect during an extensive 10 hour search. The 29-year-old suspect was subsequently arrested and charged with murder.

SEPTEMBER 20, 1986

A 23-year-old male officer with the Baltimore City Police Department died from injuries he received on September 20, 1986, while investigating a minor traffic accident in southwest Baltimore. As he was interviewing the drivers of the damaged vehicles, a small pick-up truck came around a nearby curve, speeding towards them, out of control. The officer pushed the citizens out of the path of the oncoming truck. The truck crossed over the center line, hitting the police car and then the officer, before overturning. The two citizens rushed to assist the officer who, just moments before, saved their lives. The officer's injuries were so serious that responding paramedics, administering first aid, could not restore life. The officer, who had just 9 months experience, died at the scene. The driver of the pick-up truck was charged with Driving While Intoxicated, Speeding, Failure to Keep Right of Center, Automobile Manslaughter and Homicide with a Motor Vehicle.

NOVEMBER 5, 1986

A 46-year-old male officer with the Baltimore County Police Department suffered fatal injuries on November 5, 1986. The officer had exited his vehicle to check some businesses on the opposite side of the street. He was struck by a vehicle as he crossed the street on this dark and rainy evening. He was taken to the hospital where he died November 14, 1986 from the injuries he sustained in this accident. An investigation of the accident failed to find any reason to charge the operator of the motor vehicle. The officer was an 18-year veteran of the force.

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

The following information is based on a detailed monthly collection of data in the Uniform Crime Reporting System regarding the problem of assaults on local, county and state law enforcement officers. The large number of reported assaults on sworn officers is in part due to a prevalent attitude of disrespect for law enforcement in certain elements of our society.

A total of 4,168 law enforcement officers in Maryland were victims of assault in the line of duty during 1986, as compared to 3,969 assaults during 1985, resulting in a 5 percent increase.

The rate of assaults on law enforcement officers for the state was 36 assaults for every 100 sworn officers, as compared to 35 assaults per 100 sworn officers in 1985.

Physical force was used in 88 percent of all assaults on police officers.

The greatest number of assaults (1,507) or 36 percent, occurred while officers were responding to disturbance calls (family disputes, man with a gun, etc.). 19 percent of assaults on police officers occurred between 12:01 A.M. and 2:00 A.M.

A total of 4,168 assaults on law enforcement officers were cleared during 1986, amounting to a 98 percent clearance rate.

5 YEAR TREND

INJURY VS NON-INJURY

	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
No Personal Injury	3,202	3,419	3,227	3,063	3,087	3,212
Personal Injury	702	749	742	714	643	664
Total	3,904	4,168	3,969	3,777	3,730	3,876
		WEAPONS				
Firearm	140	119	138	161	138	144
Knife	74	60	67	55	88	101
Other	268	324	245	265	238	270
Physical Force	3,421	3,665	3,519	3,296	3,266	3,361
Total	3,903	4,168	3,969	3,777	3,730	3,876

POLICE ASSAULTED

	PERCENT DISTRIB.	5 YEAR AVERAGE	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982
DISTURBANCE CALLS	36.2%	1,382	1,507	1,414	1,225	1,331	1,431
ATTEMPTING OTHER ARRESTS	26.8%	1,047	1,119	1,085	1,044	964	1,025
ALL OTHER	11.4%	483	475	493	574	443	430
TRAFFIC PURSUITS & STOPS	8.9%	350	370	316	352	371	339
HANDLING, TRANSPORTING & CUSTODY OF PRISONERS	7.5%	284	313	335	262	241	271
INVESTIGATION OF SUSPICIOUS PERSONS	4.4%	165	185	132	125	196	188
BURGLARIES IN PROGRESS	1.7%	61	71	57	54	62	59
CIVIL DISORDER	.6%	42	27	40	46	39	59
MENTALLY DERANGED	1.5%	50	61	48	65	46	32
ROBBERIES IN PROGRESS	.6%	29	25	31	24	30	35
AMBUSH	.4%	11	15	18	6	7	7
TOTAL	*100.0%	3,904	4,168	3,969	3,777	3,730	3,876

*Percent distribution may not add to 100% due to rounding.

TIMES OF ASSAULT

	12:01-2:00	2:01-4:00	4:01-6:00	6:01-8:00	8:01-10:00	10:01-12:00
A.M.	773	512	174	78	108	125
P.M.	188	267	294	429	606	614

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
REGION 01	214	2	10	15	187	37	213
CAROLINE COUNTY	20	0	0	1	19	1	20
DENTON PD.	12	0	0	0	12	1	12
FEDERALSBURG PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
GREENSBORO PD.	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
CAROLINE CO. SHERIFF	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
STATE POLICE	3	0	0	1	2	0	3
CECIL COUNTY	51	0	2	5	44	6	50
NORTH EAST PD.	5	0	0	1	4	1	5
RISING SUN PD.	2	0	0	0	2	1	2
CECIL CO. SHERIFF	17	0	2	3	12	2	16
STATE POLICE	27	0	0	1	26	2	27
DORCHESTER COUNTY	14	0	0	0	14	0	14
CAMBRIDGE PD.	11	0	0	0	11	0	11

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
HURLOCK PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
STATE POLICE	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
KENT COUNTY	6	1	0	1	4	1	4
CHESTERTOWN PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
ROCK HALL PD.	2	0	0	0	2	1	2
STATE POLICE	3	1	0	1	1	0	3
QUEEN ANNES COUNTY	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
STATE POLICE	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
SOMERSET COUNTY	10	0	2	1	7	4	10
CRISFIELD PD.	4	0	0	0	4	0	4
PRINCESS ANNE PD.	2	0	0	1	1	1	2
STATE POLICE	4	0	2	0	2	3	4
TALBOT COUNTY	8	0	4	0	4	1	8

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
EASTON PD.	4	0	3	0	1	0	4
ST. MICHAELS PD.	2	0	1	0	1	1	2
STATE POLICE	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
WICOMICO COUNTY	31	0	0	3	28	7	31
FRUITLAND PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
SALISBURY PD.	8	0	0	1	7	5	8
SALISBURY STATE COLLEGE	3	0	0	0	3	0	3
WICOMICO CO. SHERIFF	3	0	0	0	3	0	3
STATE POLICE	16	0	0	2	14	2	16
WORCESTER COUNTY	72	1	2	4	65	17	72
BERLIN PD.	2	0	0	0	2	2	2
OCEAN CITY PD.	62	1	1	4	56	10	62
POCOMOKE CITY PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
OCEAN PINES PD.	2	0	1	0	1	1	2
STATE POLICE	5	0	0	0	5	4	5

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
REGION 02	112	0	1	12	99	20	105
CALVERT COUNTY	29	0	0	3	26	7	28
NORTH BEACH PD.	10	0	0	2	8	3	9
CALVERT CO. SHERIFF	3	0	0	0	3	0	3
STATE POLICE	16	0	0	1	15	4	16
CHARLES COUNTY	66	0	0	5	61	9	66
CHARLES CO. SHERIFF	44	0	0	4	40	3	44
STATE POLICE	22	0	0	1	21	6	22
ST. MARYS COUNTY	17	0	1	4	12	4	11
ST. MARYS CO. SHERIFF	14	0	1	4	9	2	8
STATE POLICE	3	0	0	0	3	2	3
REGION 03	191	6	3	20	162	46	183

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
ALLEGANY COUNTY	15	1	0	4	10	5	14
CUMBERLAND PD.	4	0	0	4	0	2	4
FROSTBURG PD.	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
LUKE PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
FROSTBURG STATE COLLEGE PD.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
ALLEGANY CO. SHERIFF	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
STATE POLICE	6	0	0	0	6	2	6
CARROLL COUNTY	29	0	0	2	27	5	29
TANEYTOWN PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
WESTMINSTER PD.	11	0	0	0	11	0	11
CARROLL CO. SHERIFF	4	0	0	1	3	0	4
STATE POLICE	13	0	0	1	12	5	13
FREDERICK COUNTY	79	4	2	7	66	14	75
BRUNSWICK PD.	2	0	1	0	1	0	2
FREDERICK PD.	57	0	1	7	49	10	53

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
THURMONT PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
FREDERICK CO. SHERIFF	3	1	0	0	2	1	3
STATE POLICE	16	3	0	0	13	3	16
GARRETT COUNTY	4	0	0	0	4	0	4
OAKLAND PD.	3	0	0	0	3	0	3
STATE POLICE	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
WASHINGTON COUNTY	64	1	1	7	55	22	61
HAGERSTOWN PD.	45	1	1	3	40	14	43
WASHINGTON CO. SHERIFF	14	0	0	4	10	5	13
STATE POLICE	5	0	0	0	5	3	5
REGION 04	962	15	10	98	839	202	934
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	186	0	2	17	167	74	185
MD. PARK POLICE SECTION	4	0	0	1	3	3	3

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
MONTGOMERY CO. PD.	172	0	2	15	155	67	172
ROCKVILLE PD.	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
TAKOMA PARK PD.	5	0	0	0	5	1	5
MONTGOMERY CO. SHERIFF	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
STATE POLICE	3	0	0	0	3	1	3
PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY	776	15	8	81	672	128	749
BLADENSBURG MD.	4	0	0	0	4	1	4
CHEVERLY PD.	6	0	0	1	5	4	5
COLMAR MANOR PD.	8	1	0	0	7	2	8
COTTAGE CITY PD.	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
GLEN ARDEN PD.	6	1	0	1	4	1	6
GREENBELT PD.	8	0	0	1	7	1	8
HYATTSVILLE PD.	7	0	0	0	7	3	7
LANDOVER HILLS PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
LAUREL PD.	50	6	0	1	43	9	50
PRINCE GEORGES CO. PD.	631	6	8	73	544	90	609
RIVERDALE PD.	14	0	0	0	14	6	12
UNIV. OF MD. PD.	9	0	0	0	9	1	8

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
MD NATIONAL CAPITAL PK POLICE	6	0	0	0	6	0	6
BOWIE STATE COLLEGE PD.	3	0	0	0	3	2	3
TAKOMA PARK PD.	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
PRINCE GEORGES CO. SHERIFF	5	0	0	0	5	4	5
STATE POLICE	14	1	0	4	9	4	13
REGION 05	2,672	95	36	173	2,368	442	2,634
BALTIMORE CITY	1,672	66	23	61	1,522	228	1,650
BALTO CITY PD.	1,665	66	23	57	1,519	225	1,643
UNIV. OF MD. BALTO. CITY	2	0	0	2	0	1	2
M-NCP A - CUNDALK (CITY)	2	0	0	1	1	2	2
MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY	3	0	0	1	2	0	3
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	264	3	1	19	241	58	258
ANNAPOLIS PD.	78	1	0	8	69	9	72
ANNE ARUNDEL CO. PD.	158	2	0	8	148	35	158
STATE POLICE	28	0	1	3	24	14	28

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
BALTIMORE COUNTY	531	15	11	70	435	121	522
BALTO. CO. PD.	521	15	11	66	429	116	512
TOWSON STATE COLLEGE P.D.	4	0	0	1	3	3	4
STATE POLICE	6	0	0	3	3	2	6
HARFORD COUNTY	115	8	1	7	99	25	115
ABERDEEN PD.	32	1	0	1	30	1	32
BEL AIR PD.	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
HAVRE DE GRACE PD.	20	2	1	0	17	6	20
HARFORD CO. SHERIFF	51	5	0	5	41	13	51
STATE POLICE	11	0	0	1	10	5	11
HOWARD COUNTY	90	3	0	16	71	10	89
HOWARD CO. PD.	85	3	0	16	66	9	84
STATE POLICE	5	0	0	0	5	1	5
REGION 06	17	1	0	6	10	2	13

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	TOTAL OFFICERS ASSAULTED	TYPE OF WEAPON				WITH PERSONAL INJURY	POLICE ASSAULTS CLEARED
		FIREARM	KNIFE	OTHER WEAPONS	PHYSICAL FORCE		
PARKS AND TOLLS	17	1	0	6	10	2	13
NATURAL RESOURES POLICE	3	0	0	2	1	1	3
MD. PARK SERVICES ANNAPOLIS	11	0	0	3	8	1	7
TOLL FACILITES	3	1	0	1	1	0	3

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

Police Employee Data

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program in Maryland incorporates the collection of pertinent data relating to the police of the State. Information regarding police employee strength is discussed in this section.

This information is submitted by county, municipal, and state law enforcement agencies and compiled on an annual basis. Specific information concerning the number of law enforcement employees reflects the status as of October 31, 1986.

Law Enforcement Employee Rates

In 1986, the average number of full-time law enforcement employees (county, municipal and state) including civilian employees, amounted to 3.3 for each 1,000 inhabitants of the State. The rate based on sworn personnel only (excluding civilians), amounted to 2.6 per 1,000 population. In 1985, the average number of full-time law enforcement employees amounted to 3.3 for each 1,000 inhabitants and 2.6 sworn personnel per 1,000 inhabitants of the State.

The ratio of law enforcement employees per 1,000 population in any given area or municipality is influenced by a number of factors, much the same as the crime rate. The determination of law enforcement strength for a given county or municipality is based on factors such as population density, size and character of the community, geographic location, proximity to metropolitan areas, and other conditions which exist in the area generating the need for law enforcement services. Employee rates also differ among agencies since, in particular, there is a wide variation in the responsibilities and level of activity within various law enforcement agencies. The information in this section relates to reported police employee strength and should not be interpreted as recommended strength for any area.

Civilian Employees

The personnel of each law enforcement agency differ as to the demands and responsibilities placed before them. Many police officers are fully occupied with clerical tasks and are not free to perform active police duties. Some police administrators use civilians in this capacity, thus freeing the sworn personnel for actual police related services.

As of October 31, 1986, 3,176 or 21 percent of the total number of police employees in Maryland were civilians.

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE RATES

	*NUMBER SWORN	**RATE
REGION I	773	2.4
Caroline County	42	1.7
Cecil County	142	2.3
Dorchester County	79	2.6
Kent County	34	2.0
Queen Anne's County	55	1.9
Somerset County	37	1.9
Talbot County	73	2.7
Wicomico County	158	2.3
Worcester County	153	4.5
REGION II	292	1.5
Calvert County	65	1.6
Charles County	149	1.8
St. Mary's County	78	1.2
REGION III	709	1.6
Allegany County	154	2.0
Carroll County	150	1.4
Frederick County	192	1.5
Garrett County	39	1.4
Washington County	174	1.5
REGION IV	2,544	1.9
Montgomery County	1,039	1.6
Pr. George's County	1,505	2.2
REGION V	6,737	3.1
Baltimore City	3,277	4.2
Anne Arundel County	755	1.9
Baltimore County	2,019	2.9
Harford County	318	2.1
Howard County	368	2.6
PARKS	669	-
STATE TOTAL	11,724	2.6

*Number sworn persons only
**Rate per 1,000 population

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

	TOTAL	NUMBER SWORN	NUMBER CIVILIAN	NUMBER MALE	NUMBER FEMALE
REGION I	985	773	212	808	177
CAROLINE COUNTY	70	42	28	59	11
Denton	6	6	0	6	0
Federalsburg	6	6	0	6	0
Greensboro	2	2	0	2	0
Preston	2	2	0	2	0
Ridgely	2	2	0	2	0
Sheriff's Dept.	41	13	28	32	9
State Police	11	11	0	9	2
CECIL COUNTY	176	142	34	149	27
Chesapeake City	2	2	0	1	1
Elkton	22	18	4	18	4
North East	5	4	1	4	1
Port Deposit	3	2	1	2	1
Rising Sun	4	3	1	3	1
Sheriff's Dept.	23	21	2	19	4
State Police	117	92	25	102	15
DORCHESTER COUNTY	88	79	9	79	9
Cambridge	42	33	9	37	5
Hurlock	5	5	0	5	0
Sheriff's Dept.	29	29	0	26	3
State Police	12	12	0	11	1
KENT COUNTY	47	34	13	35	12
Chestertown	10	9	1	10	0
Rock Hall	5	5	0	4	1
Sheriff's Dept.	24	12	12	15	9
State Police	8	8	0	6	2
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY	63	55	8	56	7
Centreville	7	7	0	7	0
Sheriff's Dept.	10	10	0	10	0
State Police	46	38	8	39	7

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

	TOTAL	NUMBER SWORN	NUMBER CIVILIAN	NUMBER MALE	NUMBER FEMALE
SOMERSET COUNTY	39	37	2	34	5
Crisfield	8	7	1	7	1
Princess Anne	3	3	0	2	1
Univ. of Md.-East.Shore	11	10	1	9	2
Sheriff's Dept.	4	4	0	3	1
State Police	13	13	0	13	0
TALBOT COUNTY	111	73	38	86	25
Easton	36	25	11	27	9
Oxford	2	2	0	2	0
St. Michaels	5	5	0	4	1
Sheriff's Dept.	22	9	13	14	8
State Police	46	32	14	39	7
WICOMICO COUNTY	199	158	41	160	39
Delmar	7	6	1	7	0
Fruitland	6	5	1	5	1
Salisbury	58	47	11	45	13
Salisbury St. College	16	14	2	13	3
Sheriff's Dept.	32	26	6	25	7
State Police	80	60	20	65	15
WORCESTER COUNTY	192	153	39	150	42
Berlin	8	7	1	7	1
Ocean City	91	72	19	70	21
Ocean Pines	14	14	0	8	6
Pocomoke City	16	11	5	12	4
Snow Hill	6	6	0	6	0
Sheriff's Dept.	20	17	3	17	3
State Police	37	26	11	30	7
REGION II	338	292	46	295	43
CALVERT COUNTY	68	65	3	64	4
North Beach	8	8	0	8	0
Sheriff's Dept.	24	22	2	21	3
State Police	36	35	1	35	1

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

	TOTAL	NUMBER SWORN	NUMBER CIVILIAN	NUMBER MALE	NUMBER FEMALE
CHARLES COUNTY	176	149	27	152	24
La Plata	1	1	0	1	0
Sheriff's Dept.	123	106	17	105	18
State Police	52	42	10	46	6
ST. MARY'S COUNTY	94	78	16	79	15
St. Mary's College	8	8	0	6	2
Sheriff's Dept.	46	41	5	39	7
State Police	40	29	11	34	6
REGION III	919	709	210	774	145
ALLEGANY COUNTY	188	154	34	168	20
Cumberland	57	50	7	51	6
Frostburg	18	14	4	16	2
Frostburg St. College	19	18	1	17	2
Lonaconing	2	2	0	2	0
Luke	2	2	0	2	0
Westernport	4	4	0	4	0
State's Att. Office	8	1	7	4	4
Sheriff's Dept.	18	17	1	17	1
State Police	60	46	14	55	5
CARROLL COUNTY	177	150	27	146	31
Hampstead	1	1	0	1	0
Manchester	3	3	0	2	1
New Windsor	1	1	0	1	0
Sykesville	6	5	1	3	3
Taneytown	6	5	1	5	1
Westminster	31	25	6	24	7
Sheriff's Dept.	23	21	2	19	4
State Police	106	89	17	91	15
FREDERICK COUNTY	232	192	40	190	42
Brunswick	10	9	1	9	1
Frederick	82	69	13	60	22
Thurmont	4	4	0	4	0

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

	TOTAL	NUMBER SWORN	NUMBER CIVILIAN	NUMBER MALE	NUMBER FEMALE
FREDERICK COUNTY (Cont'd)					
Sheriff's Dept.	46	39	7	38	8
State Police	90	71	19	79	11
GARRETT COUNTY	48	39	9	43	5
Oakland	5	4	1	4	1
Sheriff's Dept.	24	17	7	22	2
State Police	19	18	1	17	2
WASHINGTON COUNTY	274	174	100	227	47
Hagerstown	105	82	23	86	19
Hancock	5	4	1	4	1
Smithsburg	1	1	0	1	0
Sheriff's Dept.	102	39	63	81	21
State Police	61	48	13	55	6
REGION IV	3,254	2,544	710	2,476	778
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	1,280	1,039	241	987	302
Chevy Chase	8	8	0	8	0
Gaithersburg	10	9	1	8	2
Md. Nat. Cap. Park	71	58	13	58	13
Montgomery Co.	979	790	189	743	236
Rockville	43	29	14	30	13
Takoma Park	42	33	9	30	12
Sheriff's Dept.	74	71	3	58	16
State Police	53	41	12	43	10
PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY	1,974	1,505	469	1,498	476
Berwyn Heights	2	1	1	2	0
Bladensburg	18	14	4	13	5
Bowie State College	15	10	5	11	4
Capitol Heights	4	3	1	3	1
Cheverly	9	8	1	7	2
Colmar Manor	1	1	0	0	1
Cottage City	8	6	2	6	2
District Heights	10	9	1	9	1

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

	TOTAL	NUMBER SWORN	NUMBER CIVILIAN	NUMBER MALE	NUMBER FEMALE
PR. GEORGE'S COUNTY (Cont'd)					
Edmonston	4	4	0	4	0
Fairmount Heights	1	1	0	1	0
Forest Heights	7	6	1	6	1
Glenarden	3	2	1	2	1
Greenbelt	55	42	13	41	14
Hyattsville	27	19	8	21	6
Landover Hills	2	2	0	2	0
Laurel	49	37	12	42	7
Md. Nat. Cap. Park	82	71	11	63	19
Morningside	3	3	0	3	0
Mt. Rainier	13	10	3	10	3
Pr. George's Co.	1,256	939	317	938	318
Riverdale	15	10	5	10	5
Univ. of Md.-C.P.	70	60	10	53	17
University Park	7	7	0	7	0
Upper Marlboro	1	1	0	1	0
Sheriff's Dept.	185	142	43	140	45
State Police	127	97	30	103	24
REGION V	8,171	6,737	1,434	6,609	1,562
BALTIMORE CITY	3,873	3,277	596	3,192	681
Baltimore City	3,493	2,976	517	2,880	613
Coppin State Univ.	15	14	1	12	3
Morgan State Univ.	29	24	5	23	6
Mass Transit Admin.	65	62	3	56	9
Univ. of Balto.	19	8	11	12	7
Univ. of Md. at Balto.	106	57	49	79	27
Sheriff's Dept.	131	122	9	116	15
State Police	15	14	1	14	1
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY	974	755	219	755	219
Annapolis	129	99	30	94	35
Anne Arundel Co.	621	476	145	483	138
Sheriff's Dept.	24	24	0	21	3
State Police	200	156	44	157	43
BALTIMORE COUNTY	2,481	2,019	462	1,985	496
Baltimore Co.	1,604	1,453	151	1,385	219
Md. Port Admin.	78	73	5	62	16

LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE DATA

	TOTAL	NUMBER SWORN	NUMBER CIVILIAN	NUMBER MALE	NUMBER FEMALE
BALTIMORE COUNTY (Cont'd)					
Sparrows Point	16	15	1	15	1
Towson State Univ.	33	28	5	24	9
Univ. of Md.-Balto.Co.	25	18	7	21	4
Sheriff's Dept.	48	44	4	37	11
State Police	677	388	289	441	236
HARFORD COUNTY	354	318	36	286	68
Aberdeen	35	29	6	27	8
Bel Air	31	23	8	22	9
Havre de Grace	27	21	6	19	8
Sheriff's Dept.	182	182	0	150	32
State Police	79	63	16	68	11
HOWARD COUNTY	489	368	121	391	98
Howard Co.	265	209	56	209	56
Sheriff's Dept.	24	20	4	16	8
State Police	200	139	61	166	34
PARKS & TOLLS	1,233	669	564	1,029	204
Md. Alcohol Tax Enf.	14	13	1	12	2
Md. Park Service	630	151	479	554	76
Md. Toll Facilities	296	263	33	203	93
Natural Resources	247	209	38	223	24
State Fire Marshal	46	33	13	37	9
MARYLAND TOTALS	14,900	11,724	3,176	11,991	2,909

10 YEAR COUNTY TREND

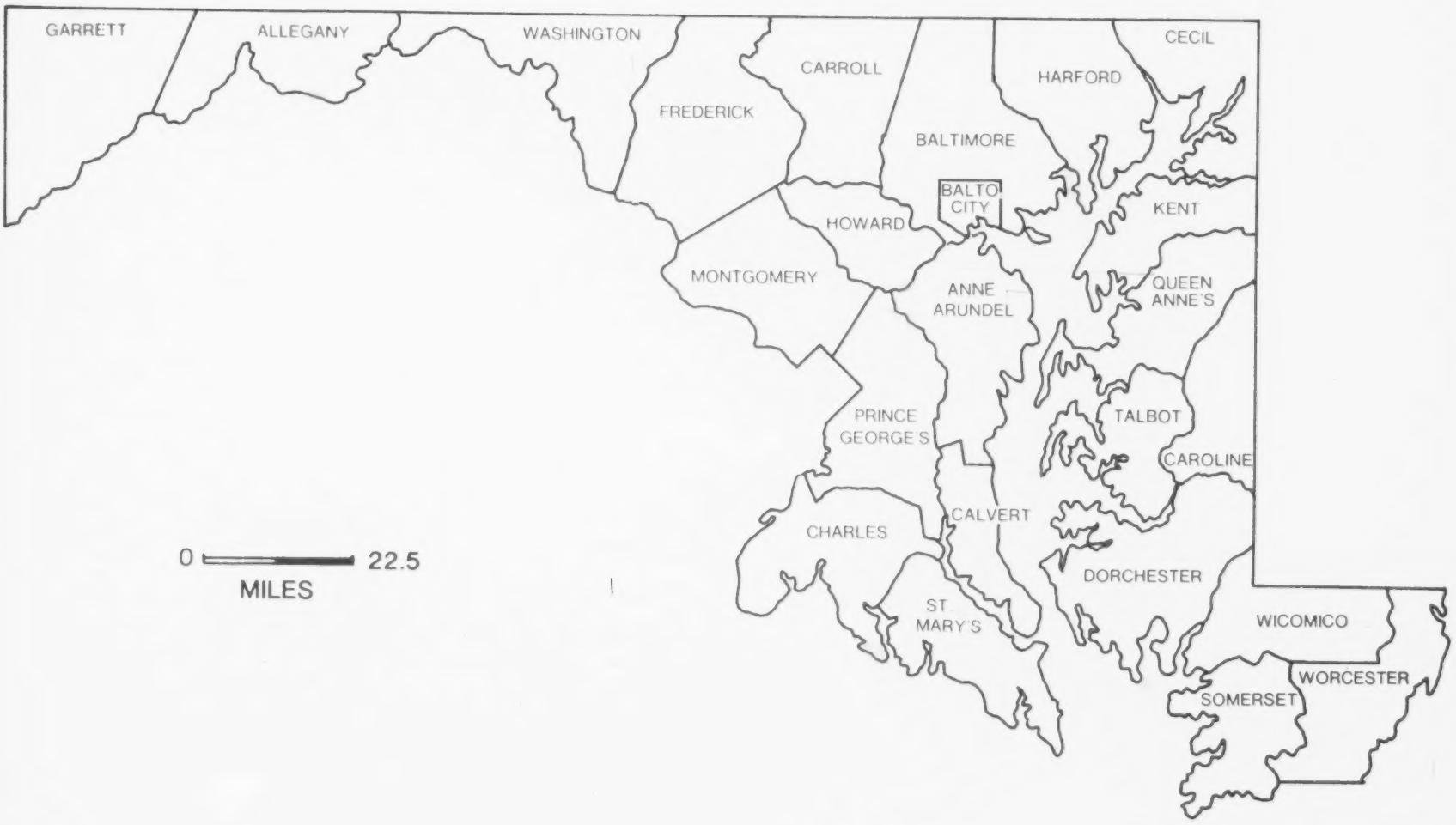
	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977
CAROLINE										
Population	24,223	23,832	23,858	23,762	23,550	23,528	23,148	22,534	22,593	22,600
Index Crime	677	567	505	656	722	779	627	683	481	481
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	42	45	48	42	38	43	42	37	35	35
CECIL										
Population	67,238	66,143	64,216	61,713	61,157	61,099	60,113	56,486	55,194	54,901
Index Crime	2,167	2,099	2,068	2,231	2,373	2,572	2,390	2,403	2,006	2,157
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	142	152	153	112	167	150	154	155	158	188
DORCHESTER										
Population	30,693	30,194	30,863	31,361	31,079	31,050	30,549	30,647	30,124	29,991
Index Crime	1,330	1,241	1,082	1,187	1,490	1,517	1,411	1,305	1,133	1,223
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	79	59	61	65	61	61	64	64	65	63
KENT										
Population	17,127	16,864	16,877	17,124	16,970	16,954	16,680	16,225	16,647	16,200
Index Crime	536	537	546	502	599	581	609	512	446	389
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	34	30	29	28	29	28	29	26	24	26
QUEEN ANNE										
Population	28,420	27,972	27,090	26,199	25,963	25,939	25,520	23,836	22,394	20,200
Index Crime	741	829	758	770	760	814	828	679	625	611
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	55	50	50	53	43	49	52	45	44	43
SOMERSET										
Population	19,147	18,884	18,973	19,547	19,372	19,353	19,041	19,129	20,016	19,624
Index Crime	648	569	491	492	580	697	715	606	560	523
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	37	44	44	43	46	50	50	50	53	51
TALBOT										
Population	27,524	27,063	26,695	26,174	25,939	25,914	25,496	26,841	26,259	25,970
Index Crime	1,063	922	912	870	959	1,113	975	1,059	996	968
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	73	78	78	85	79	79	85	83	83	56
WICOMICO										
Population	67,740	66,648	66,574	66,705	66,102	66,040	64,974	60,974	60,743	60,281
Index Crime	3,720	3,250	2,795	2,948	3,590	3,658	3,842	3,356	3,026	2,897
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	158	157	158	159	152	155	142	127	126	124
WORCESTER										
Population	34,294	33,728	31,953	31,109	30,829	30,800	30,303	27,842	27,845	26,703
Index Crime	3,522	3,078	2,675	2,586	2,801	3,066	3,125	3,374	2,659	2,459
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	153	156	152	154	147	146	145	133	130	126
CALVERT										
Population	40,299	39,686	36,985	35,222	34,904	34,871	34,308	31,548	30,223	27,500
Index Crime	1,173	1,171	964	886	1,074	1,267	1,231	969	778	788
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	65	63	64	63	62	59	55	53	55	61

COUNTY TRENDS

	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977
CHARLES										
Population	89,937	82,603	79,140	74,271	73,599	73,530	72,343	67,202	66,193	64,900
Index Crime	3,319	2,988	2,964	2,773	3,129	3,360	3,298	3,254	2,610	2,264
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	149	150	163	157	153	151	140	118	114	109
ST. MARY'S										
Population	65,135	64,123	62,450	61,393	60,837	60,780	59,799	54,182	53,509	53,400
Index Crime	1,927	1,879	1,760	1,596	1,826	2,086	2,029	2,115	1,902	1,838
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	78	76	77	76	74	75	75	72	71	72
ALLEGANY										
Population	78,947	77,655	80,835	82,605	81,858	81,781	80,461	79,721	79,966	82,102
Index Crime	2,006	1,795	1,857	1,948	2,189	2,473	2,474	2,322	2,131	2,211
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	154	157	164	166	174	174	177	182	178	175
CARROLL										
Population	107,514	105,829	102,737	98,637	97,748	97,657	96,080	92,641	89,083	86,000
Index Crime	2,608	2,098	2,321	2,182	2,459	2,635	2,878	2,629	1,968	1,822
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	150	151	159	161	138	136	129	125	122	119
FREDERICK										
Population	127,271	125,217	122,120	116,534	115,529	115,420	113,557	108,064	103,748	99,538
Index Crime	3,908	3,952	3,960	4,170	4,361	4,696	4,457	4,105	3,448	3,306
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	192	190	191	181	189	189	205	185	171	172
GARRETT										
Population	27,553	27,164	27,369	27,207	26,962	26,937	26,502	25,939	25,664	24,810
Index Crime	616	495	618	639	644	707	675	598	514	476
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	39	41	39	39	43	43	45	40	35	33
WASHINGTON										
Population	114,891	113,100	113,834	115,768	114,722	114,614	112,764	109,767	109,397	111,000
Index Crime	3,040	2,914	2,799	3,174	3,367	3,876	3,910	3,552	3,464	3,557
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	174	167	160	174	173	180	190	183	182	178
MONTGOMERY										
Population	640,356	630,126	605,398	589,400	584,061	583,513	574,093	576,776	582,458	575,310
Index Crime	27,105	26,182	24,253	23,368	27,500	30,961	31,474	30,242	26,034	24,806
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	1,039	991	989	1,028	1,011	954	964	937	964	982
PR. GEORGE'S										
Population	693,240	682,233	681,610	675,231	669,127	668,499	657,707	663,207	671,342	675,500
Index Crime	45,385	42,854	39,478	41,112	46,976	52,832	51,762	49,087	47,326	46,559
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	1,505	1,463	1,436	1,391	1,385	1,337	1,329	1,311	1,334	1,468
BALTIMORE CITY										
Population	783,542	771,097	788,604	805,527	791,175	797,429	784,554	790,901	781,730	827,494
Index Crime	67,345	67,375	66,877	70,080	74,212	79,102	78,184	74,909	70,533	68,310
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	3,277	3,272	3,336	3,056	3,307	3,273	3,407	3,385	3,505	3,666

COUNTY TRENDS

	1986	1985	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977
ANNE ARUNDEL										
Population	399,108	392,718	388,659	379,967	376,525	376,172	370,099	361,749	363,169	347,538
Index Crime	19,715	17,148	16,955	16,894	18,775	20,435	20,316	17,453	17,119	18,496
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	755	787	803	780	771	744	704	677	667	650
BALTIMORE COUNTY										
Population	690,668	679,708	671,586	668,705	662,646	662,025	651,337	639,872	641,120	643,363
Index Crime	43,228	39,861	38,577	38,774	43,817	47,183	46,638	43,265	38,967	38,261
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	2,019	1,876	1,834	1,877	1,981	1,934	2,006	1,964	1,940	1,871
HARFORD										
Population	154,882	152,381	151,550	148,188	146,846	146,708	144,340	146,422	146,556	140,650
Index Crime	5,426	4,782	4,409	4,292	5,179	5,887	6,119	5,792	5,710	5,791
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	318	319	309	363	285	282	271	284	271	268
HOWARD										
Population	139,251	137,032	129,114	121,601	120,500	120,387	118,443	116,777	117,027	103,425
Index Crime	8,086	7,227	6,609	5,744	6,079	6,481	6,986	6,221	5,659	5,119
Sworn Law Enforcement Officers	368	344	276	303	277	262	264	233	214	210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